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DRAINAGE CASE IS DRAWING TO CLOSE

Arguments in the Chicago-St. Louis Scrap Over Disposition of Sewage Begin Before Supreme Court.

MISSOURI HAS AN INNING.

Southern City's Unhealthfulness Admitted, but Causes Challenged; Traction Cases Up Next.

BY RAYMOND.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 2.—[Special.]—Chicago is engrossing the attention of the Supreme court nowadays. Arguments were begun today in the drainage case, and on Thursday the Chicago traction lines will have their inning. Both of these matters are celebrated among lawyers because such enormous interests are involved.

If St. Louis should be successful in closing the drainage canal it not only would cause a complete loss of between $30,000,000 and $40,000,000 to the city of Chicago for the cost of that great work, but it would result in an extraordinary setback to the municipality on account of the deterioration in its sanitary prospects, which would result in an even greater commercial loss, and this probably is what St. Louis has been aiming at from the start.

Similar vast interests are at stake in the traction hearing, and judges on the bench, as well as outside lawyers, unite in saying that two cases from the same place and of such great magnitude never have been presented in successive days even in the Supreme court of the United States, a body which is accustomed to dealing with millions and billions of money and setting general principles which affect the happiness and general welfare of millions of men as well.

Sovereign States Lock Horns.

Lawyers look on this case of the state of Missouri against the state of Illinois and the sanitary district of Chicago as a pretty one from a purely legal standpoint. In the first place, it is a case brought by one sovereign state against another sovereign state. Such cases, of course, cannot be tried in any lower federal court because there is no court which has the proper jurisdiction. The constitution, therefore, provides specifically that where one state sues another state in the ordinary legal proceeding the Supreme court of the United States will take original jurisdiction. That is to say, in cases of this character nine judges of the Supreme court hear the evidence, and the battle is fought out as it would be in any lower court, at least so far as theory goes.

In actual practice the Supreme court does not bother itself with hearing witnesses. It has subordinate machinery for that purpose and it designates commissioners to take testimony. But the court itself passes upon the value of the evidence, which it never does in other cases, its scrutiny of the record being confined to questions of law and to interpretation of evidence or its admissibility in the lower courts.

To make this an original case it was necessary to include the state of Illinois, on the theory that the state created the sanitary district of Chicago, the latter becoming thereby merely an agent of the state.

Resume of the Issues at Stake.

In this original case, therefore, the state of Missouri filed a bill before the Supreme court itself asking it to issue an injunction restraining the state of Illinois and the sanitary district of Chicago from draining the sewage of the district into the Mississippi river by way of the drainage canal and the Desplaines and Illinois rivers.

The state of Missouri insisted that many cities and towns within its border lying below the mouth of the Illinois river used the water of the Mississippi as a drinking supply for their inhabitants. It was charged that an immense amount of undiluted sewage poisoned the waters of the Mississippi, rendered them unfit for domestic uses, and made valueless the water works of the river.

The sanitary district of Chicago denied all this alleged danger. It is admitted that it sends the greater portion of the drainage of Chicago through the sanitary canal, but it insisted that it mixed with that sewage so large an amount of water as to dilute it completely and render it innocuous.

Furthermore, the city of Chicago and the sanitary district took the ground that none of the water of the Illinois river went over to the Missouri side of the Mississippi, because it was kept on the Illinois side by the vast volume of water poured out from the Missouri river, a fact which, it was alleged, was known to all practical river men who went to and fro on the Father of Waters.

These were the issues which were brought up for argument before the Supreme court. A commission was appointed, therefore, to take testimony. It secured samples of water from the various sections all the way from Chicago to Cairo, and up the Mississippi toward Minneapolis, and up the Missouri to the vicinity of Omaha.

St. Louis Unhealthful! But Why?

The St. Louis people successfully have established the fact that they have a great deal of typhoid and other fevers, but the Chicago people insist that if there is any contamination it comes from the string of river towns all along the Mississippi and Missouri rivers. Argument in court today chiefly was based upon the results of the evidence given by individuals and the analyses of water made at various points. Propositions of law will largely come later, except so far as they were disposed of when the demurrer to the original bill was overruled.

The time of the court was taken up this afternoon largely with the rendering of decisions, as there was no session yesterday, so that arguments in the drainage canal case did not begin until late in the afternoon and will therefore not reach their real climax until tomorrow.

Argument was opened by Sam B. Jeffries, former attorney general of Missouri. The greater part of his time was devoted to a historical and geographical sketch so as to present to the mind of the court an outline of the territory involved, which is, in fact, enormous.

Immense Territory Affected.

There is brought into question not only the sewage problem of Chicago by way of the Illinois river but the whole question as to the pollution of both the Mississippi and the Missouri above St. Louis. For this reason the Missouri representative devoted an unusual amount of time to an explanation of the character of the water sheds in the vicinity of the different rivers, the extent to which bacteria could travel without losing their life and their wickedness, and the rela-

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SUMMARY OF
The Daily Tribune.

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 3, 1906.

THE WEATHER—
FORECAST—Rain or snow Wednesday, probably followed by fair and slightly colder Thursday, fresh easterly winds, becoming variable.
Sunrise, 7:20; sunset, 4:31. Moonset, 12:33 a. m.
CONDITIONS YESTERDAY.
Temperature, max. 37, min. 31, mean 34, normal for the day 23. Excess for 1906, 42.
Precipitation for 24 hours to 7 p. m., .20. Excess for 1906, .13 inch.
Wind, S. E., max. 24 miles an hour, at 7 p. m.
Relative humidity, 7 a. m. 76%, 7 p. m. 95%.
Barometer, sea level, 7 a. m. 30.31, 7 p. m. 30.11.

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Tribune's new telephone number—100 CENTRAL.

The Tribune Want Ads Will Be Found on Pages 13 to 15.

WASHINGTON.

Arguments in case of Missouri against Illinois and the Chicago drainage canal began before Supreme court; traction matters will come up Thursday. **Page 1.**

President Roosevelt demands of senators he be made aware early what to expect in Santo Domingo and canal matters. **Page 7.**

America will reinforce Philippine troops so as to be ready to throw large armed force into China in case of uprising; squadron to be increased. **Page 8.**

FOREIGN.

Russian revolutionists captured Krasno-Yarsk, capital of Yeinseisk, Siberia; murdered every soldier and hanged governor and chief of police. **Page 3.**

Home coming reservists joined Russian revolutions along transsiberian railroad; situation in Baltic provinces critical. **Page 3.**

Balfour issued election address declaring fiscal issue absorbing feature of campaign. **Page 3.**

DOMESTIC.

Foundation of world's greatest hospital and art galleries provided for in Charles T. Yerkes' will; wife, son, and daughter given small fortunes and life interest in estate; Chicago got only $100,000 for observatory. **Page 1.**

Decatur's defense in hazing trial at Annapolis a curious tangle of contradictions. **Page 1.**

Wife of Northport, L. I., dentist accused of murdering father-in-law, declared she was ready to testify against him. **Page 2.**

Emilie Grigsby may not profit by $250,000 check given her by Charles T. Yerkes, as it was dated ahead. **Page 2.**

McCall will resign from New York Life today to forestall expose by self-investigating committee; paid Hamilton claim; Cleveland as referee. **Page 3.**

Frank Brown, extradited from Chicago, walked out of New York jail, saying he's tired staying. **Page 3.**

Report of auditors on steal of N. C. Dougherty of Peoria declares members of school board grossly negligent and unfaithful to trust; move to make them and bank liable probable. **Page 4.**

John W. Hill, former chief of filtration bureau in Philadelphia, placed on trial on graft charge. **Page 6.**

LOCAL.

Council decided to take up traction franchise ordinances next Friday in committee of whole; sessions open. **Page 1.**

Clerk of Juvenile court said delinquency is increasing more rapidly among girls than among boys. **Page 3.**

Possibilities of utilization of drainage canal water power subject of special report to city council. **Page 4.**

Diamond salesman accused of stealing $400 earring from woman while on slumming tour. **Page 4.**

Supreme court sent Peoria gas case back for new trial but without deciding any questions in Chicago case. **Page 5.**

Corporation Counsel Lewis gave opinion that Mayor Dunne can appoint civil service board secretary. **Page 5.**

President Hadley of Yale university at alumni luncheon indorsed more open play in football. **Page 9.**

POLITICAL.

J. W. Wadsworth nominated for speaker of New York assembly, defeating Odell's candidate with ease. **Page 1.**

Republican leaders took steps to conciliate factions in Second and Thirteenth ward clubs; harmony commitee to delay action. **Page 5.**

Party leaders discussed plans for spring primaries; aldermanic candidates must file petitions by Jan. 29. **Page 5.**

Blackburn badly beaten in race for Kentucky senatorship; Judge Paynter selected in democratic caucus. **Page 7.**

LABOR.

Many employers granted eight hour day to union printers; Typothetæ will continue battle for "open shops." **Page 3.**

NEW YORK.

Waves seventy feet high forced big liner to turn tail and run before terrific seas. **Page 7.**

Bettors who wagered their money on election of McClellan as mayor paid their winnings. **Page 7.**

TRADE AND INDUSTRY.

Marshall Field & Co. will tear down store at State and Washington streets and rebuild with a twelve story structure. **Page 6.**

St. Francis Xavier academy bought block of ground at Evans avenue and Fiftieth street for $150,000. **Page 10.**

Better buying in wheat forced prices up fractionally; corn market firm on May buying. **Page 11.**

Illinois Trust and Savings bank showed over $98,000,000 in deposits; led First National by $700,000. **Page 12.**

SPORTING.

Efforts being made in big leagues to change opening date from April 12 to April 17. **Page 6.**

Libbertifilibbet, celebrated California brood mare, killed because of old age; Oakland sport ordinary. **Page 6.**

Matriculation of seven young athletes at University of Chicago boomed prospects of maroon team. **Page 6.**

Bad News won seven furlong event at New Orleans with 116 pounds up. **Page 6.**

MOVEMENTS OF OCEAN STEAMSHIPS.

Port.	Arrived.	Sailed.
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BRISTOL		Englishman.
CHRISTIANIA		Nav.
DOVER	Finland	
GENOA		Brooklyn.
HAMBURG	Patricia	Batavia.
LIVERPOOL	Victorian	Champlain.
LIVERPOOL	Canadian	
LONDON	Minnetonka	
NEW YORK	Carpathia	
NEW YORK	Calabria	
NEW YORK	Minneapolis	
QUEENST'WN	Oceanic	
ROTTERDAM	Rotterdam	

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TRACTION DEBATE SET FOR FRIDAY.

Franchise Ordinances to Be Taken Up on Jan. 5 by the Council as Committee of the Whole.

SESSIONS WILL BE OPEN.

Effort of Ald. Cullerton to Prevent Roll Calls at the Meeting Defeated by Big Majority.

The city council last evening voted to go into committee of the whole next Friday morning to consider the traction franchise ordinances. It also adopted the following rules for the conduct of that committee:

Its sessions are to be as open as those of the city council.

A roll call will be allowed on all motions when five or more members ask for it.

Ald. Werno, as chairman of the committee on local transportation, is to act as chairman of the committee.

The debate was on the question of allowing roll calls in the committee meetings. Ald. Cullerton favored the old practice of allowing the chairman to gavel through all motions, but he was beaten by a vote of 47 to 21. Both the friends of the mayor and his opponents on the municipal ownership proposition united to beat the Cullerton motion.

As a new feature in the general traction problem in Chicago, Ald. Potter introduced a resolution looking to compelling the Illinois Central railway within three years to substitute electricity for steam in the handling of its suburban traffic. It is based on the ground the present methods of the company constitute on the lake front a public nuisance which should be abated.

Cullerton Starts the Fun.

On the main question of the traction ordinances Ald. Werno called up a resolution that the next meeting of the council be held at 10 o'clock Friday morning, and explained it was for the purpose of having the body go into committee of the whole to take up and debate the traction franchise ordinances.

"I have a substitute," shouted Ald. Cullerton, and then the fun began.

The Cullerton substitute was a motion to reconsider the Foreman resolution of Oct. 16 providing that the council should meet in committee of the whole to consider the franchise ordinances and that in those meetings roll calls be allowed.

"We are acting," said Cullerton, "under Robert's rules of order and they provide there shall be no roll calls in meetings of committee of the whole. It is a plain proposition that if we do have roll calls in such meetings they will result in passing these ordinances and no veto of the mayor can stop it.

"It is all a subterfuge," he continued, getting excited. "It means that the men back of this resolution are trying by underhand means to pass these ordinances and there will be nothing to submit to the people at the spring election."

Applauded from the Gallery.

Ald. Cullerton had more to say in the same line, insisting that if a roll call was ever had in committee of the whole on the ordinances and a majority was found in favor of them, the ordinances would be passed then and there. Quite a number of ardent advocates of immediate municipal ownership were in the galleries and they seemed to think there was something in the plea. They applauded the Cullerton speech vigorously and Ald. Moynihan got up to second it. He missed the Cullerton point somewhat, however, insisting he could not support the ordinances in their present form and wanted a chance to get a roll call on the amendments he would offer. Ald. Foreman replied that the order was drawn for the purpose of preventing the chairman from gaveling the ordinances through the committee.

"The point that a roll call in the committee would pass the ordinances is simply pure nonsense," he added.

Roll Calls Are Assured.

Ald. Dever, who is the mayor's floor manager, said all he wanted was to have the council declare itself in favor of open sessions and a roll call when needed. Ald. Pringle suggested that, while there was no objection to it, it was a good deal like the making of New Year's resolutions for the council in regular session to say what it proposed to do in committee of the whole. If it wanted to do all these things when it got into committee then was the time to do it. The present proceedings seemed childish.

Ald. Dever insisted, however, it was necessary the council go on record, and then Ald. Foreman moved that the Cullerton substitute lay on the table. It was done by this roll call:

YEAS.

Dixon,	Maypole,	Lippe,
Pringle,	Markin,	Reinberg,
Foreman,	Bellfuss,	Raymer,
Richert,	Smith,	Larson,
Potter,	Kunz,	Carey,
Young,	Nowicki,	Bradley,
Snow,	Dever,	Roberts,
Bennett,	Sitts,	O'Connell,
Jones,	Finn,	Badenoch,
Harris,	Stewart,	Eidmann,
Hurt,	McCormick [21],	Eihl,
Scully,	Reese,	Hunt,
Uhlir,	Schmidt [23],	Ruxton,
Zimmer,	Werno,	Hunter,
Considine,	Williston,	Race—47.
Riley,	Dunn,	

NAYS.

Coughlin,	Fick,	Schmidt [24],
Kenna,	Cullerton,	Hahne,
Harding,	Conlon,	Butler,
Dailey,	Ryan,	Stewart,
McCormick [5],	Powers,	Wendling,
Martin,	Dougherty,	Burns,
Moynihan,	Sullivan,	Kohout—21.

Werno Chosen to Preside.

It was announced that the committee on local transportation had selected Ald. Werno to preside over the committee of the whole and Ald. Cullerton promptly moved that Mayor Dunne be selected in his place.

"If any alderman," replied the mayor, "will make the point that I cannot serve, as I am not a member of the council, I will sustain it."

Ald. McCormick [Twenty-first] made the point and the mayor promptly decided it was well taken.

"The method of procedure we have agreed on," said Ald. Werno, "is that the same freedom of debate be allowed in committee of the whole as is customary in the council. It is true that, according to parliamentary proceedings, no roll calls can be had in such a committee, but there is nothing to prevent the council from amending the rules so as to allow them.

"As to the plea that such a roll call would pass an ordinance, it is too ridiculous to be considered. A committee of the whole can no more pass an ordinance than can a standing committee of this body. It has to be reported to the main body before becoming a law."

"Do you favor a roll call in committee?" asked Ald. Cullerton.

"I certainly do," Ald. Werno replied.

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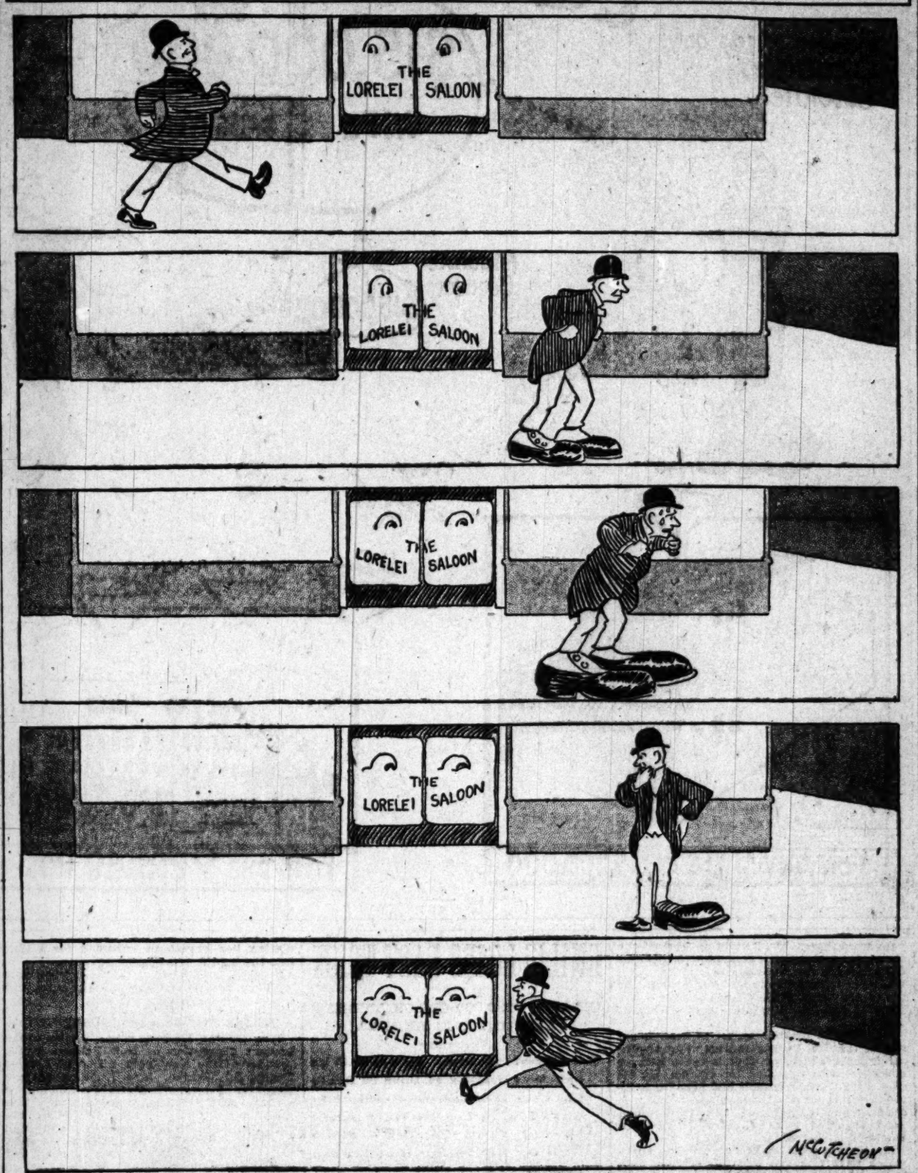
THE GOOD RESOLUTIONS DIE YOUNG.



Died—Yesterday between 2 and 3 o'clock, between State and Wabash, Master G. Resolution, aged two days, of drowning. Funeral services were at once held, at which male quartets united in singing the touching old dirge entitled, "Take the Wagon Home, John, It Cannot Hold Us All." (Distillers' Weekly please copy.)

MIDDIES TRIP EACH OTHER.

Decatur's Defense a Curious Tangle of Contradictions.

HE DENIES HAZING VICTIMS.

Admits Being Present When Church Was Put Through Stunts.

Annapolis, Md., Jan. 2.—The defense of Midshipman Stephen Decatur Jr. in the charges of hazing which closed late this afternoon led the naval court martial through such a curious tangle of contradictions that hardly a statement made by any of the numerous witnesses of the day stands corroborated by his fellows.

Decatur himself appearing in his own behalf at the end of the session, did not clear up any of the points involved, upon which hang his guilt or innocence.

He first was asked if he knew Isaac N. McCrary, one of the fourth classmen whom he is charged with hazing and replied:

"I may have seen him before the trial, but have no recollection of it. I may have heard his name, but do not recall it."

Specifically Denies Charges.

He then was asked if he remembered being in his room after dinner on the afternoon when the pictures of the cadet and petty officers were taken, this being the day on which McCrary said Decatur had hazed him. He said that he did, and then was asked by his counsel, in language of the specifications, whether or not he had done any of the things there stated. To every one of these questions his answer was:

"I did not."

Finally he was asked if he had ever hazed either McCrary, Gaylord, or Church, and his answer was a positive negative.

The cross examination brought from Decatur the admission that he had ordered Church to report to his room and that some one there had compelled the under classman to perform "No. 16."

As Decatur was the ranking cadet officer present, the prosecution will contend that this fact is sufficient to fix the offense of hazing on him. The defense contends that under the charge, as well as the act of 1874, the mere countenancing of or allowing hazing is insufficient and that active participation must be proved.

Hungarian Band at His Beck.

Decatur was asked if he ever had seen the "Hungarian band." He said that he had, and that it was an organization of fourth class men who sang and played the banjo for upper class men. He admitted that they had performed in his room twice. The judge advocate is understood to have information that McCrary belonged to this organization, but Decatur said that the only member of it he remembered was Bennett.

It is understood that the organization is one of the creations of the hazing system which the court of inquiry has discovered, and that quite a number of the upper class men may be compelled to face charges based on the band's compulsory concerts. The under class men, who compose it, sing and play on the banjo for the entertainment of any upper class men who order it.

On cross examination in regard to McCrary's case, Decatur was asked by the judge advocate if he remembered anything about his actions on the different days in November, naming them. He remembered that one was a Sunday and another Thanksgiving day, but to all the others said:

"I don't know, sir."

Disagree on Pertinent Points.

Whether or not the sound of standing on one's head, as it is practiced at the Naval academy, can be recognized by a person in an adjoining room, proved to be the most disputed point in the evidence. A number of midshipmen testified that they were in Decatur's room the day that McCrary had said Decatur had hazed him and that they had seen no fourth-class men there. Others testified that under classmen were in the room.

Efforts were made on all the cross examinations to show that the midshipmen were not there the whole time that Decatur was, and also that a victim might be doing his stunts in the closet and the witnesses not have seen it. Some of the midshipmen were confident that they would have seen the incident had they taken place and that the noise made by the shuffling of the feet of the underclassman when standing on his head would have been heard and recognized by them. Others were not.

It was brought out successfully by the judge advocate, however, that Decatur had his picture taken in one group or another on two or three occasions. This was of much importance, as the defense are attempting to disprove McCrary's statement that he was hazed by Decatur after dinner on the day when the latter had his picture taken in a group of other midshipmen.

Directly Contradicts Fellows.

The most interesting testimony next to that of Decatur was given by Midshipman F. B. Marsoni of Florida, who is also under charges for hazing, and will be tried shortly. Marsoni was the first witness other than the fourth classmen to state that any fourth classmen were in the room with Decatur, and in that particular his testimony corroborated that of Midshipman Church.

He said that while he was in Decatur's room Church had come in and had been told to do "No. 16" in the closet and afterward had been told to stop. He could not remember who had given the order, but was positive it was not Decatur.

His evidence was in strong contradiction to other evidence produced by the defense, as he said that a person could easily be in the closet undergoing hazing and not be seen, while most of the others said that if a person had been hazed in the closet while they were in the room they would certainly have seen him.

Marsoni mentioned Midshipmen Graves and Lowe of the first class, and Cox, Nagle, and Keller of the second as being in the room during the hazing of Church. The first two named will also be tried for hazing shortly, it is understood.

Church Weak in the Knees.

Midshipmen George A. Trevor and Robert E. Thornton, both fourth class men, testified that on Sunday last Church had said that the more he thought of it the more unwilling he was to swear that Decatur was the one who had hazed him. This is a violation of orders, as all the witnesses are warned not to converse about their testimony.

Midshipman Charles S. Keller said that he remembered the day the photograph of the petty officers was taken and that he had been in Decatur's room after dinner. He testified that a number of midshipmen were there and that one of them was Decatur. The latter statement was evidently a surprise to the defense, as it corroborated the prosecution's testimony.

The prosecution, it is understood, will introduce several witnesses in rebuttal. It is probable that the case will go to the court tomorrow.

ODELL BEATEN IN CAUCUS.

Wadsworth, Roosevelt Candidate, to Be Speaker at Albany.

POOR SHOWING BY MERRITT.

Could Only Muster 14 Votes—Depew to Be Asked to Resign.

Albany, N. Y., Jan. 2.—[Special.]—James W. Wadsworth Jr. of Livingston county, son of Congressman James W. Wadsworth of the Thirty-fourth congressional district, and son-in-law of the late John Hay, secretary of state, was nominated tonight by the republican assembly caucus for speaker of the assembly, and will be elected to that office tomorrow, when the assembly convenes. His democratic opponent will be George M. Palmer of Schoharie, who for many years has been minority leader of the assembly floor.

Mr. Wadsworth had 75 out of 104 votes cast in the caucus, Edwin A. Merritt Jr. of St. Lawrence receiving 14 and J. M. Wainwright of Westchester 15. The entire strength of the republican side in the new assembly, 107 in all, was present, but none of the three candidates voted.

Odell Loses Leadership.

This tells the story of the defeat of the ambition of Benjamin B. Odell Jr. to name the speaker of the assembly for 1906.

A new deal was inaugurated tonight when member after member flocked to the support of James W. Wadsworth Jr. of Livingston county. With the support of President Roosevelt and Gov. Higgins behind him he made a clean sweep of the opposition, and tonight Benjamin B. Odell Jr. is a discredited and humiliated leader. Men who did not dare to vote for Mr. Merritt because he was the acknowledged Odell candidate took refuge behind the candidacy of Mr. Wainwright.

Considerable mystery has surrounded the reason why Mr. Odell came to Albany Sunday. Now it turns out that he came here to see Frank S. Black and to beg him for his support to the extent of turning over to him the two members from Rensselaer county. But Mr. Black in pointed language told him that their relations were at an end.

Will Ask Depew to Resign.

Incidentally it may be mentioned that tomorrow Senator Edgar T. Brackett will introduce a resolution in the senate asking for the resignation of United States Senator Chauncey M. Depew.

A close friend of Mr. Odell tonight stated that providing a man who has not been too pronounced in his opposition to Mr. Odell could be selected Mr. Odell would resign as state chairman and take a rest in Europe.

Merritt Accepts Defeat.

After the roll had been called and the announcement of Mr. Wadsworth's selection had been made, Assemblyman Merritt took the floor. He said:

"The will of the majority must become the will of the entire body. You must give me credit for understanding the situation. I understand the attitude of every member who voted tonight. I have no false professions of satisfaction to make. If there is any dissatisfaction with Mr. Wadsworth's discharging the duties of the office to which he is to be chosen tomorrow it will be due to his youth and inexperience, but time will cure that. In order to give every member the right to vote for Mr. Wadsworth tomorrow, I move that his selection be made unanimous."

MANKIND AND ART HEIRS OF YERKES.

Will Provides for Perpetuation of Name in $9,000,000 Hospital and $5,000,000 Gallery.

ONLY $1,500,000 IN GIFTS.

Estate Goes to Wife, Son, and Daughter Until Their Death; Then Reverts to Magnate's Real Heirs.

New York, Jan. 2.—[Special.]—Charles T. Yerkes' name will be perpetuated in New York by the largest and best hospital in the world, a hospital open to all persons of all races, creeds, and color. This hospital, when time has gathered Mr. Yerkes' heirs to the great majority, will have an endowment of $9,000,000.

The love of art and paintings, which was the dominant feature of the noncommercial side of the traction man's life, will be kept alive in the minds of New Yorkers by an art gallery, the nucleus of which is Mr. Yerkes' magnificent home on Fifth avenue, and his collection of pictures, rugs, statuary, and other objects of virtu.

This museum ultimately will represent $5,000,000.

The will, which disposes of an estate valued at between $12,000,000 and $15,000,000, was read to the immediate family at the Yerkes home, 864 Fifth avenue, at noon today by Clarence A. Knight of Chicago, who drew it and who was Mr. Yerkes' legal adviser.

Widow Gets $200,000 Outright.

Mrs. Mary Adelaide Yerkes, the widow, gets $200,000 absolutely, the houses at Fifth avenue and Sixty-eighth street, together with their contents during her lifetime, and the income from one-half the residue of the estate after specified bequests have been satisfied. All the personal property excepting the art collections goes to her and her assigns.

Charles Edward Yerkes, the son, gets $200,000 absolutely and the right to dispose by will of $300,000 of the estate. When certain bequests have been satisfied he will receive the income from one-fourth of the residue.

Mrs. Bessie L. Rondinella of Philadelphia, the daughter, receives $200,000 absolutely and the right to dispose of $300,000 of the estate by will. She gets also the income from one-fourth of the estate after the bequests mentioned have been paid.

Homestead Wife's During Life.

The homestead at Fifth avenue and Sixty-eighth street, together with its contents, paintings, bronzes, statuary, tapestries, and other objects of art will be enjoyed by Mrs. Yerkes until her death, the will provides, unless she should be willing beforehand to turn them over to a corporation which shall maintain them as the Yerkes galleries.

Upon her death, if she has not already carried out the will of Mr. Yerkes on that point, the houses and the art collections are to go to a corporation organized under the laws of the state of New York for the maintenance and preservation of an art gallery on the premises, which is given to the corporation.

Five trustees are to be appointed to control what shall be known as the "Yerkes galleries." One of these trustees is to be designated by the mayor of this city and the other four are to be named by the Metropolitan Museum of Art.

Establishes "Yerkes Galleries."

Upon the death of Mrs. Yerkes, the trustees are to pay over to the directors of the Yerkes galleries, out of the one-half of the estate set aside for her, $750,000 in cash for the maintenance of the galleries.

The will gives to Greenwood cemetery the plat of ground which Mr. Yerkes owned there, together with the marble mausoleum in which his body lies, and the sum of $15,000 in cash to be expended for the care and preservation of the plat and mausoleum.

The provision is made that none save Mrs. Yerkes shall be buried there.

In case the Greenwood cemetery should refuse the bequest, the money is to go to the Central Trust company of this city, which shall spend the income in caring for the plat and mausoleum.

Big Hospital to Be Founded.

The will of Mr. Yerkes provides that upon the death of Mrs. Yerkes there shall be established in this city, upon a site to be purchased in the Bronx, a hospital to be known as the "Yerkes hospital." It is provided that on the death of Mrs. Yerkes a corporation shall be formed for the purpose of conducting the hospital, which, it is provided, shall cost in all not more than $800,000.

This amount is to be set aside from the principal of the one-half of the estate set aside for the use of Mrs. Yerkes during her lifetime, after $750,000 shall have been paid out of it for the maintenance of the Yerkes galleries. Then the hospital is to receive the remaining portion of the wife's half, as well as any accrued income remaining to be invested.

Eventually the Yerkes hospital will receive the quarter shares of the principal set aside for the use of the son and the daughter.

Wealth Just Loaned to Heirs.

If Charles E. Yerkes dies leaving lawful issue, then the child or children and the wife are to receive the income from the quarter share until the child or children shall be 21 years old. At that time the quarter share shall be paid over to the Yerkes hospital corporation.

It is further provided that if Charles E. Yerkes should die without leaving lawful issue the quarter share shall be paid over to the hospital maintenance fund.

If Charles E. Yerkes should die before his wife, leaving no issue, then the hospital is to be established out of the one-quarter of the estate, less the $300,000 which the son is authorized to devise by will.

The same provisions apply to the quarter share which the will provides that Mrs. Rondinella shall have the income from during her lifetime.

The will leaves $100,000 in trust for Ethel Link Yerkes, the daughter of Mr. Yerkes' nephew Clarence. The income is to be paid to Ethel L. Yerkes and the principal is to become part of the residuary estate if she leaves no children.

To Louis S. Owsley of Chicago, who was his financial secretary and one of his most intimate friends, Mr. Yerkes leaves $50,000.

Servants and Friends Remembered.

To Arnold Held, his valet, he bequeaths $5,000, and to every household servant who had been in his employ for at least four years before his death Mr. Yerkes wills $2,000.

The income from $50,000, left in trust, is to be paid to Mrs. Emma A. Weaver of Philadelphia, who was a childhood friend of Mrs.

Yerkes. Upon Mrs. Weaver's death the principal becomes part of the residuary estate.

The income from a trust fund of $50,000 goes to Miss Mary Barmore Cook, the daughter of C. A. Cook, an advertising agent of Chicago. She is an elderly woman and an old friend of the family. Upon her death the principal returns to the estate.

The income from $20,000 is to be paid to Elizabeth and Sally Jarden, one-half to each. They were distant relatives of Mr. Yerkes. The $20,000 goes to the estate upon their death.

The income from $30,000 goes to Mr. Yerkes' cousin, Rachel Edwards of this city. She is a first cousin and is about 77 years old. The principal returns to the estate upon her death.

A trust fund of $100,000 is established for the care and mantenance of the Yerkes observatory located at Lake Geneva, Wis. The income from this fund is to be paid to the University of Chicago for the said maintenance.

Mr. Yerkes named as his trustee the Central Trust company of this city. In case it should refuse to accept he provides that the Illinois Trust and Savings bank of Chicago shall act as trustee.

Mrs. Mary Adelaide Yerkes, Louis S. Owsley of Chicago, and the Illinois Trust and Savings bank are selected as executors. Mr. Yerkes makes the declaration in the will that his home is in the state of Illinois, and the will will be probated in the Cook county Probate court. Afterward it will be filed in the Surrogate court of this county.

It is estimated that the Yerkes hospital will receive, contingently, $9,000,000.

Hospital and Galleries Final Heirs.

Reduced to its simplest form, the will makes the hospital and the Yerkes galleries, the latter being under the control of the Metropolitan Museum of Art, his final heirs. The value of the Yerkes galleries, houses, and contents will approach, it is estimated, $5,000,000.

The hospital will get eventually the entire estate, except the $200,000 given absolutely to the widow, $200,000 given to Charles E. Yerkes and $300,000 he is authorized to devise, $200,000 given absolutely and the $300,000 which Mrs. Rondinella is authorized to devise, the small bequests made to relatives and servants, the Yerkes observatory trust fund of $100,000, and the homestead houses, their contents, and $750,000 for their maintenance.

It is Mr. Yerkes' will that the hospital bearing his name shall be open to the public without respect to creed, race, or color, and that any patient who is not able to pay for treatment shall be admitted free. He directs that the trustees shall consult freely with his wife in all matters concerning the hospital and the Yerkes galleries.

If Mrs. Yerkes should desire to relinquish her right to use the houses at Fifth avenue and Sixty-eighth street as a home the trustees are directed to pay to the Yerkes galleries $20,000 a year out of the income set aside for the wife and children. Mr. Yerkes specified that his wife should relinquish her dower rights in consideration of the provisions made for her.

Disposal of Art Collection.

The clause in the will relating to the disposition of the works of art reads as follows:

"Upon the death of my said wife, Mary Adelaide Yerkes, or in case she shall notify my trustee [the trustee is the Central Trust company of this city], or its successor, in writing, that she desires to relinquish her right to use said premises as a home, then, and in that event, I direct my said trustee to immediately, on the happening of either of said events, cause to be incorporated under the laws of the state of New York, or by special act of the legislature of said state, a corporation for the purpose of establishing, maintaining, and preserving an art gallery of galleries in said premises, and hereby give, devise, and bequeath, in such event, to said corporation, when so formed, the said plot of ground and the building thereon, together with all paintings, works of art, statuary, bronzes, tapestries, and bric-à-brac therein contained and also that may be located elsewhere, under such rules and regulations as said corporation may prescribe, upon express condition subsequent and continuing that the properties so bequeathed and devised shall be known and designated as Yerkes galleries, and upon failure at any time of such condition the said property, together with the paintings, works of art, statuary, bronzes, tapestries, and bric-à-brac therein contained shall be and become part of my residuary estate.

Five Trustees Provided For.

"In forming such corporation it is desired that, if permissable by law, there shall be five trustees to control said Yerkes galleries, and one of whom shall be the mayor of the city of New York and the other four to be designated by the Metropolitan Museum of Art of the borough of Manhattan, in the said county and state of New York.

"On the death of my wife, Mary Adelaide Yerkes, then I direct my trustees hereinafter named to pay over to the trustees or directors of said Yerkes galleries of the one-half [½] of my said remaining estate hereinafter set aside for my wife, Mary Adelaide Yerkes, the sum of $750,000 in cash, or interest bearing securities that may be accepted by said trustees or directors in place of said cash, the income from said $750,000 to be by said trustees invested in the same kind of securities as I have hereinafter directed my trustee or its successor to invest my estate, and which said $750,000 to be held by said trustees or directors of the Yerkes galleries, and their successors in perpetuity, the income derived therefrom to be used in caring for and maintaining said Yerkes galleries and the building and plot of ground, and any surplus may be from time to time invested by said trustees or directors in new paintings, works of art, statuary, bronzes, tapestries, and bric-à-brac."

The securities specified later are of the general class of savings bank securities allowed in this state.

Provisions for Hospital.

The provision as to the hospital, to carry on which almost all of the residuary estate will eventually fall in—many millions probably—says:

"I further order and direct my trustee, hereinafter named or his successor, on the death of my said wife, Mary Adelaide Yerkes, to cause to be incorporated under the laws of the state of New York a corporation for the purpose of conducting a hospital to be known as the Yerkes hospital, and out of the principal of one-half of my said remaining estate set aside for my wife, Mary Adelaide Yerkes, as provided for in the fifteenth paragraph hereof, less $750,000, heretofore given to the trustees or directors of the Yerkes galleries, to purchase a proper plat of ground, situated in the borough of the Bronx, city of New York, county and state of New York, and cause proper buildings for a hospital to be erected thereon, the aggregate cost of such ground and buildings not to exceed $800,000, and to pay over to the various persons designated in the certificate of incorporation as trustees of said corporation or their successors as such, the remaining portion of said one-half of my said remaining estate set aside for my wife, Mary Adelaide Yerkes, as aforesaid, as well as any accrued income thereon remaining unpaid, to be by them invested and reinvested in the same form as I have herein directed my trustees or their successors, to invest my estate and to be held by them and their successors in perpetuity."

Mr. Yerkes designated as follows the character and class of investments he desired his estate put into: First class income bearing securities, bonds secured by first mortgages on real estate, the bonds of commercial railroads where dividends have been paid for at least five successive years, or such bonds as savings banks of the state of New York are authorized to invest their funds in, or United States or municipal bonds.

Will Drawn Up a Year Ago.

The will was drawn on Jan. 12, 1905, in London, and was witnessed at that time by Walter Abbott, C. S. Louch, and Francis B. Vonillor of that city. On May 22, 1905, it was witnessed in this city by Clarence A. Knight and Frank K. Waller, the latter being a secretary of Mr. Yerkes. It was at this latter date that the will was gone over by Mr. Knight at Mr. Yerkes' direction. It consists of about 8,000 words.

When Mr. Yerkes was here last May he gave the will into the charge of Adrian H. Joline, who was a personal friend. Mr. Joline has had possession of the document ever since, and none save he and the witnesses were aware of its contents. Not even Mrs. Yerkes knew what it contained.

At noon today Mr. Knight met Mr. Joline at the latter's office, 54 Wall street, and received the will from Mr. Joline. Mr. Knight took it to the Yerkes home about noon. The family met in the library, where Mr. Yerkes was in the habit to receive his intimate friends. There were present Mrs. Yerkes, Charles E. Yerkes and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Rondinella, Louis S. Owsley, and Mr. Knight.

No other lawyers or representatives of lawyers were there. Mr. Knight authorized the statement tonight that none save the persons designated in Mr. Yerkes' will have anything whatever to do with directing or disposing of the estate. Mrs. Yerkes' legal adviser is Mr. Knight, just as he was the counsel of Mr. Yerkes.

Mr. Knight desired to set at rest finally stories that Mr. Yerkes' was employing counsel independently, or that lawyers here or elsewhere will be asked for advice. He declared that grave trouble had been made by the interference of outsiders, who were actuated by hope of gain, but that trouble had been adjusted and no more interference would be tolerated.

Mr. Knight recovered today certain papers which were removed from Mr. Yerkes' safe in the mansion at 864 Fifth avenue, and took steps which remove likelihood of any outsiders' claims against Mrs. Yerkes or the estate being brought forward.

Widow Entirely Satisfied.

When the reading of the will was concluded—It took about half an hour to run through the document—Mrs. Yerkes instantly expressed to Mr. Knight her entire satisfaction with its provisions. She said:

"It shall be the purpose of the rest of my life to act as Mr. Yerkes would have me, in whatever direction I may have in the estate. The bequest certainly shows what was the real character of Mr. Yerkes. Nothing more noble than his purpose of establishing a great hospital could be thought of."

Mrs. Yerkes was greatly affected during the reading of the will.

Mr. Knight wasn't able to state whether Mrs. Yerkes would continue to use the homestead, or whether she would turn it over before her death to the Yerkes galleries trustees.

Charles E. Yerkes and Mrs. Rondinella joined with their stepmother in expressing satisfaction over the provisions.

"There is absolutely no likelihood," said Mr. Knight, "of there being litigation over the will. I think it is comparatively simple. I believe it is well and clearly drawn, and certainly there is no mistaking Mr. Yerkes' purpose.

"I think right here that as a matter of plain decency it is time for certain expressions concerning Mr. Yerkes' personal affairs to stop. The family are in agreement, and no amount of unpleasant stories are going to cause a break in their pleasant relations.

Hospital to Be Without Rival.

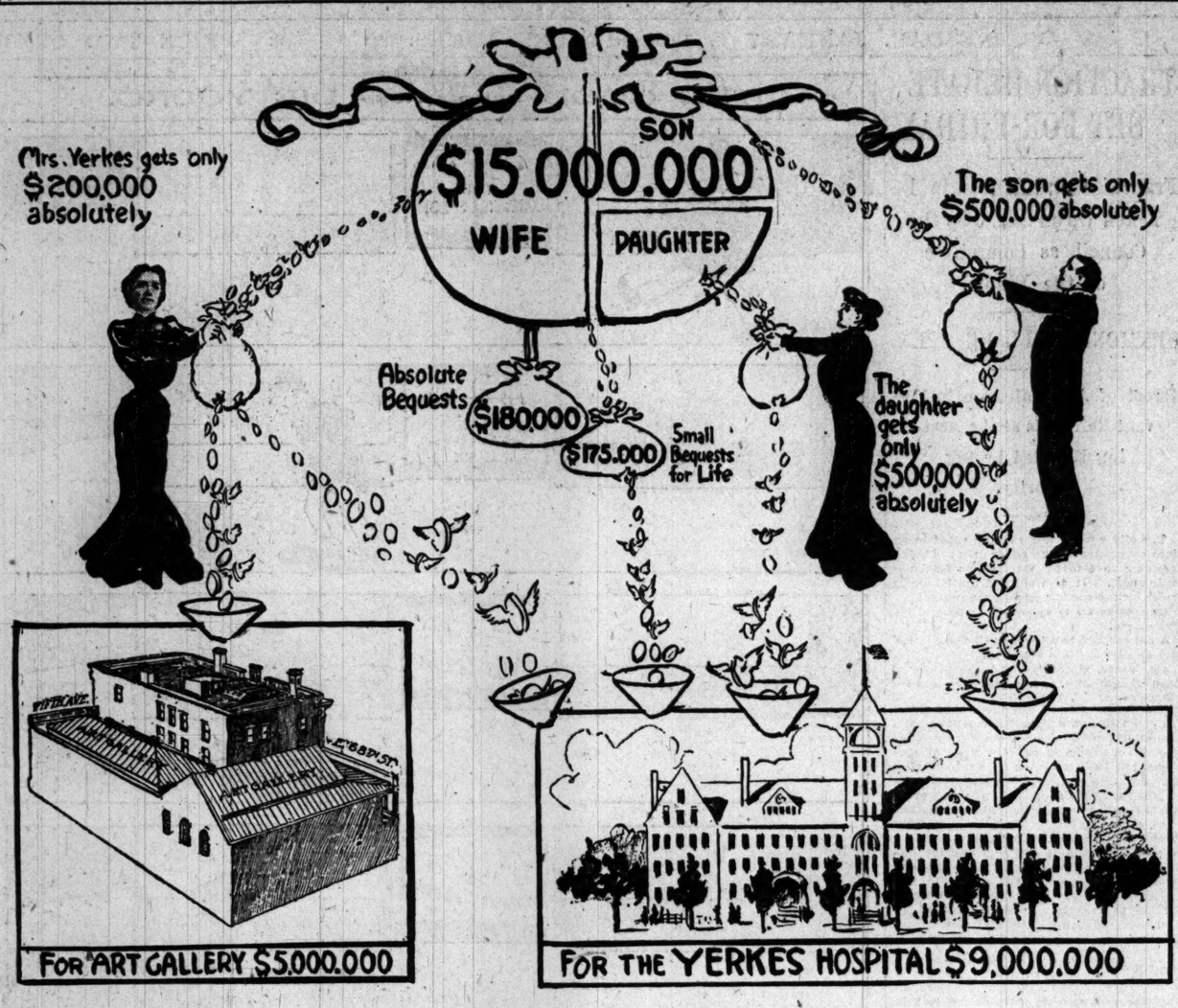
"Few men knew Charles T. Yerkes better than myself. In business he was a money maker who neither took nor gave quarter; but he was honest and he paid his debts. More than that, he was a real force.

"He has done rightly by his family and he has established what will be undoubtedly the most magnificent hospital in the United States, if not in the world."

Tonight, after a dinner at which were present Mr. Knight, Mr. Owsley, and the members of the family, there was a family council held. The will was discussed and further explained by Mr. Knight. He leaves tomorrow afternoon for Chicago to file the will for probate. He will return to this city within a few days and file the document in the Surrogate's court of this county.

Mrs. Yerkes, it was learned today, possesses in her own right a considerable fortune, estimated at over $1,000,000. A good deal of this is invested in securities selected by Mr. Yerkes himself. All the property Mrs. Yerkes owns Mr. Yerkes gave her from time to time.

How the Yerkes Millions Ultimately Work for Humanity.



PROOF OF THIEVES' LEAGUE.

Letters from Many Burglars Found in Possession of Man Arrested for Robbing a Residence.

George Murphy, alias George H. Gordon, 209 Indiana street, was arrested yesterday afternoon by Detectives Zable and Gallagher of the Forty-second precinct while attempting to rob the residence of Mrs. W. D. Read, 2156 Clarendon avenue. In his pockets were found numerous letters from well known thieves dated in different parts of the country.

Later in the day Annie Mandel, 111 North Clark street, who is said to be Murphy's consort, and George Wilson, who occupies a communicating room, were arrested. A trunk belonging to the woman, containing a quantity of cut glass and other stuff, was taken to the Chicago avenue police station.

Thieves broke into the residence of Mrs. E. Davis, 507 West Forty-third street, late in the afternoon and got away with a diamond ring, a watch, a necklace, and $105.

James Doyle, Arthur Doyle, Fred Stevens, Emil Bradley, alias Edward Kilhane, Emil Wanofsky, and James Kelly, alias Fred Haines, whose ages range from 19 to 21 years, are under arrest as accomplices of William Hanley, who is in jail awaiting trial on the charge of having held up and robbed Peter Motioni, in his saloon, 828 West Polk street, on Christmas eve.

Two junk dealers, who are accused of receiving property stolen by the seven boys, were arrested later. In the junk shop of Samuel I. Garron, 283 West Adams street, the police say they found $500 worth of stolen property. In Michael Cohen's junk shop, 685 West Fourteenth street, property valued at $800 was recovered. The police say Cohen's wagon was used by the boys to carry away their plunder.

EMILIE LOSES LAST TRICK

USELESS $250,000 CHECK YERKES' LAST GIFT, IS REPORT.

Sensational Meeting Between Wife and Miss Grigsby at Door of Death Chamber Is Described—Incident in Girl's Life in London When Dance Shocked Party Recalled — Home Built for Her Is Marvel of Art and Beauty.

New York, Jan. 2.—[Special.]—Although Emilie Grigsby does not figure as a beneficiary in the will of Charles T. Yerkes, it is said on high authority that one of the last conscious acts of the dying millionaire was to sign a check for a large amount in her favor. The amount is believed to have been $250,000.

Mr. Yerkes drew this check a few days before his death and personally handed it to Miss Grigsby, who daily was at the Waldorf-Astoria in close attendance at his side. There is reason to believe that the Grigsby girl will not profit by this last gift. Mr. Yerkes dated the check ahead.

As he lay mortally ill in his room at the Waldorf, Miss Grigsby went to him, day after day, and shared in the work of the professional nurses at his bedside. No one knows what passed between them in several long talks. There are hints that the traction man had decided to break with her, and so dated the check ahead, intending to stop payment in the event of his recovery, and calculating, further, that if he died the check would be valueless.

The exact date used in the check is not known, but the check itself was handed to Emilie Grigsby by Yerkes himself three days before his death.

Wife and Girl Meet Once.

The Grigsby girl saw Yerkes only once again. On that occasion she was in the room when Mrs. Yerkes, yielding to the persuasions of her stepson, called at the hotel. She was not expected at that hour and there was no chance for Emilie Grigsby to avoid a meeting with the wife. The two women met face to face at the door of the dying man's room.

Emilie Grigsby had attempted a hasty flight, but was a second too late. The details of the scene that followed have been carefully guarded from publicity. But that there was a scene is undeniable.

It is known that Mrs. Yerkes, infuriated at the sight of the girl, did not permit her to escape. The voices of the women were heard in the sick room, and the nurses interfered.

Many guests of the hotel heard the uproar and hurried from their rooms to seek the cause. Quickly the hotel detectives were summoned and Emilie Grigsby was escorted to her waiting carriage. It was her farewell to Charles T. Yerkes.

Talk of Six Other Wills.

As to the possibilities of a legal battle over the Yerkes estate, several lawyers informed on the facts predict serious complications.

One of these men flatly denies the statement made by Clarence A. Knight, the Chicago lawyer and custodian of the will, made public today, that it is the only Yerkes will in existence.

"To my personal knowledge," said this lawyer tonight, "Charles T. Yerkes signed six wills, and all of them are in existence."

Americans who are familiar with the social life and private affairs of the late Charles T. Yerkes remember a visit to London about the year 1901 of Miss Emilie Grigsby. She was chaperoned by Mrs. Dunlap Hopkins, a well known New York woman, president of the Woman's School of Needlework. She took a quiet but charming suite of rooms near Berkeley square and at once began to attract much notice by reason of her peculiarly fascinating appearance.

Miss Grigsby gave, under the wise surveillance of Mrs. Dunlap Hopkins, two or three sedate dinners. She was seen frequently, accompanied by her chaperon, at the Carlton and Savoy. Once or twice she was visited by Yerkes.

One of Miss Grigsby's "Breaks."

When the weather grew warm Miss Grigsby took a little house at Maidenhead, on the Thames, called "The Chalet," where true American hospitality was dispensed to all visitors. At the Chalet Yerkes was a frequent visitor. One day she was invited with her chaperon to take luncheon at the famous house of W. H. Grenfell, Taplow court, near Maidenhead. Miss Grigsby was peculiarly radiant and gay, and in conversation was most sprightly.

Presently the music for a waltz being played by the hidden Hungarian band, it was proposed to have dancing on the lawn. As an example of how delightful such amusement might prove Miss Grigsby walked slowly from among the guests out toward a clear place. Then, holding her soft, clinging dress tightly about her, she proceeded to swing and sway gracefully around in a circle, to the horrified surprise of the entire party.

The eagerness for dancing on the lawn was evidently not excessive among her fellow guests after this, so Miss Grigsby, after completing her gyrations, subsided for a time into the depths of a cushioned chair.

Soon after this life at the Chalet began to bore her, and Miss Grigsby and her entourage proceeded to London.

Chaperone Chicagoan's Daughter.

Mrs. Dunlap Hopkins is best known to the present generation of New Yorkers as the founder of the New York School of Applied Design for Women. Mrs. Hopkins was the daughter of George L. Dunlap, a well known operator on the Chicago board of trade. Her marriage to Amos Lawrence Hopkins, the close associate of Jay Gould in his railroad interests, occurred in 1879. Differences arose and in 1886 Mrs. Hopkins brought suit against him on statutory grounds.

Through his counsel, Dillon and Swayne, Hopkins denied the charge, and Mrs. Hopkins later went to Chicago to live with her father. The suit then was dropped in the New York courts, but later Mrs. Hopkins got a divorce in San Francisco.

It was in 1892 that Mrs. Dunlap Hopkins, as she then became known, established the School of Applied Design. Princess Christian became a patroness, and at her invitation Mrs. Hopkins crossed to England, and before the lord mayor of London and other notables spoke of the scope of the school so eloquently that she assisted at the founding of another in the British capital. Her prestige naturally was increased largely.

Mrs. Hopkins Recalls Girl.

Mrs. Dunlap Hopkins, at her home in St. Paul, 34 East Thirty-second street, tonight told of her meeting Miss Emilie Grigsby.

"It was about five years ago," she said. "Some one whom I don't remember, but of unimpeachable social standing in this city, introduced me to Miss Grigsby. The girl to me was a poem. I think she was the most beautiful woman I ever saw. Her eyes were brown. Her hair had the reddish gleam of gold. Her face sad in expression; her complexion like alabaster. Her form was beautiful.

"You have no idea how surprised I am at the revelations that have been made about her, but I do not believe them yet. At least I am going to think she is what I have always thought she was since our first meeting."

Mrs. Hopkins added that almost from the first meeting with Miss Grigsby she said that she had a fortune in her own right; that Charles T. Yerkes was acting as sort of guardian for her.

"Often at her home on Park avenue in this city," Mrs. Hopkins added, "I have seen letters on Emilie's desk which she carelessly picked up and said, with her sweet smile: 'This is from my guardian, Mr. Yerkes.' Sometimes she has read me a few lines with a curt 'Dear Emilie' and then ran into a missive about business matters entirely. I never saw Mr. Yerkes with Emilie."

Henry James One Admirer.

Mrs. Hopkins said she did not go abroad with Miss Grigsby, but some three years ago met her in London. She was then in a literary set, and two of her great admirers were Henry James and George Meredith, the authors, whom Emilie met through London friends.

"I never chaperoned Emilie, in the usual acceptation of the word," Mrs. Hopkins added, "but I met her quite a good deal abroad. She did have, it seems to me, a place called 'The Chalet' somewhere on the Thames, but while I called on Emilie abroad I was in no sense her social sponsor."

Mrs. Hopkins detailed an accident that Miss Grigsby suffered several years ago which has left her hopelessly lame. It appears that at a dinner in London given for Miss Grigsby by several special friends, the guest of honor sat with her foot a bit raised over a rail that ran along the bottom of a heavy oak dinner table.

After dinner Emilie could not get her foot down. The result was she had to be carried from the table and all the English physicians called could not tell what was the matter. Finally a cablegram was sent to Dr. William T. Bull of this city.

He hurried to London by the next steamer and decided the trouble was a lesion of a blood vessel in the right leg. She had to suffer the agony of having the leg broken at the knee and set, and now is permanently lame on her right side.

Park Avenue Home a Marvel.

In relating the wonders of the Park avenue home of Miss Grigsby, Mrs. Hopkins said that no home in this city was the center of such a lavish display of wealth.

"It is wealth tempered by rare taste," she said. "The Park avenue home was designed by Emilie entirely. She has made the library in it a wonderful creation. The central bit of furniture is a great table that is more than 200 years old and is carved and stained with time, so that it is a marvel really fit for a great museum. Over it is draped a splendid cover of rare Spanish velvet.

"Every book in the library is of special make. All are marvels of the printer's art. The candelabra are of solid silver. A prie dieu in the corner is of solid gold and is faced with a bible in vellum fold monkish missal that is worth thousands of dollars. All the bookcases are lined with brocaded silk.

"The drawing room was decorated by the famous painter, Albert Herter, who is now in Paris. It is a dream of Wagnerian subjects, worth a fabulous sum. In one corner stands a piano finished in old gold. The cabinets are filled with old gold fans, rare bits of ivory, bric-à-brac from the four corners of the world, with wonderful curios that come from everywhere and are of priceless value."

Bedroom Fit for a Queen.

In describing Miss Grigsby's bedchamber, Mrs. Hopkins said that it is hung in violet purple brocade. The woodwork, ceiling, and mantels are of Florentine carved oak, and the bed is a magnificent bit of solid Florentine carving. By the bed stands a prie dieu carved in rare wood. All of Miss Grigsby's toilet sets are of solid gold. Her feet rest on a purple velvet carpet. Her eyes rest on rare paintings gathered from the famous artists of Europe, with here and there a rare old master.

"There is a guest chamber," added the speaker, "over the library that has each of its panels made of needlework tapestry, which cost $5,000 a panel. There are fifteen panels, I think, in this room. The home all through is in such taste as this."

Mrs. Hopkins added that the jewel collection of Miss Grigsby was of superlative design. She had a splendid collection of gems that are almost priceless in value.

Religious Type of Girl.

"Yet she is not given to great generosities," mused the speaker. "I never heard of her giving away anything but old clothes. She is really a religious type of girl. I think she seemed to be sincere. She is an anomaly."

In speaking of Miss Grigsby's convent education, Mrs. Hopkins added that the story was told that when Emilie was graduated from her convent the mother superior told her of her mother's life, of which she had been in ignorance, and she was told that it was her duty to try and reclaim her mother.

"She has since then accomplished this," added Mrs. Hopkins. "Her mother has made several pilgrimages to Rome and is a devout churchwoman and has forgotten her past.

"I think that Mr. Yerkes in her had the great passion of his life. He just worshiped her, that's all."

THREE MURDERS AND SUICIDE IN MICHIGAN FARM TRAGEDY.

Clarence A. Barnum of Rochester Kills Wife and Two Children with Ax and Then Shoots Self.

Rochester, Mich., Jan. 2.—Alarmed by the deserted appearance of the farmhouse of Clarence A. Barnum, neighbors broke in today and found Barnum, his wife, his daughter, Louise, aged 23, and his son, Clinton, aged 16, dead.

The wife, son, and daughter apparently had been killed with an ax. A single barreled shotgun lying near his body and a great wound in his head showed how Farmer Barnum had met his end.

Mrs. Barnum's body was in the woodshed, showing she had made a fight for her life.

Barnum sold a farm near Homer, Mich., a few months ago and located here late in the season. It is said that the harvest in his new home did not meet his expectations and that he had become despondent.

GOING TO TEACH ZION'S FAITH.

Nearly a Score of Missionaries Will Depart Soon for Several Foreign Lands.

Nearly a score of missionaries are to be sent out from Zion City within the next month to foreign lands, it was announced yesterday. China and Japan will be scenes of special effort. Three "restorationists," including a native Japanese, have been assigned to Japan, while five, and probably more, will be sent to China. The latter party will be headed by the Rev. George L. Mason.

Seven workers, including two deaconesses sent out a fortnight ago, will go to Europe to labor in Switzerland, Denmark, and Germany. Señor Romero, a Spaniard who has been a member of the college faculty for a year, goes to Chile, South America.

Converts from these fields, it is expected, will help to colonize the proposed plantation in Mexico.

California Light Companies Merge.

San Francisco, Cal., Jan. 2.—The merger of many of the light companies of the city and state was accomplished today by the payment into the Union Trust company of $3,250,000. A deposit of $500,000 already had been paid. The California Gas and Electric company is the absorbing company, and in the future it will be called the Pacific Gas and Electric company.

Anthracite Output Greater.

Scranton, Pa., Jan. 2.—Estimates of the output of five coal companies for 1905 were completed today, showing a substantial increase in tonnage. The total output for the year was 25,459,851 tons, as compared with 24,064,770 tons for the year 1904.

Theater Diagram Book.

Issued by the Chicago and Northwestern Railway, showing correct seating arrangements of Chicago theaters. A valuable book of reference for all theatergoers. Sent on receipt of 2 cents post or furnished free on application to city ticket office, 212 Clark street. (Tel. Cent. 721.)

WIFE TO DECLARE HUSBAND SLAYER

Daughter of Man Killed by Dentist Son-in-Law and Her Mother Hold Him Guilty.

DOCTORS SAY ACCIDENT.

Conflicting Evidence at Opening of Trial at Northport, L. I., Favorable to Accused.

Northport, L. I., Jan. 2.—[Special.]—Testimony favorable to Dr. James W. Simpson, the Fifth avenue dentist charged with the murder of his father-in-law, Bartley T. Horner, was presented at the opening of the dentist's examination today.

One of the physicians called to the Horner house immediately after the shooting declared that only one wound was inflicted. Another of them stated that two shots entered the body horizontally. Both statements tended to confirm Dr. Simpson's story that he accidentally discharged the gun while he was overhauling it.

On the other hand, positive assurances from District Attorney George Furman that the defendant's wife, the daughter of the dead man, would testify against her husband more than neutralized, in the public estimation of the case, the advantage gained by the doctor in the testimony taken.

Mrs. Simpson and her mother did not appear in court, but spent most of the day in the law office of Roland Miles, who is Mr. Horner's attorney, and who was to have drawn a new will on the day after his death.

Wife Believes Him Guilty.

There the district attorney had a long conference with them. After it was over he stated to the court that both women were ready and willing to testify.

Dr. Simpson expressed confidence in a favorable outcome, but his appearance indicated grave anxiety.

"I am innocent and I believe I will be free in a short time," he said, but he looked careworn and haggard.

Dr. George Donohue of Northport was the first witness. He arrived at Horner's home, he said, about 10 o'clock in the evening of Dec. 27 and found Horner dying. Dr. Heyan and Dr. Frank were there. Horner held out his hand toward him. He leaned over and heard the dying man say in a faint voice: "Make me insensible."

Horner made no further statement, but soon lapsed into unconsciousness and died in a few moments.

Physicians' Testimony Favorable.

"I made only a visual examination of the body that night," the witness continued, "but two days later I made a careful medical examination. The wounds showed slight powder marks and were fired on a horizontal plane."

Dr. Simpson is six feet tall and had the gun been discharged with the stock at the shoulder the shot would have entered the body at a decided angle. The witness' statement to the contrary was received by the defendant counsel with apparent satisfaction.

On cross examination Dr. Donohue said he did not consider it possible Horner could have made a statement after the one to himself.

Dr. J. P. Heyan of Northport said that Dr. Simpson drove into the village for him on the night of the shooting. When he got to the house he testified that Mrs. Horner and Mrs. Simpson said that Horner had said "This is awful."

"From my observation," he continued, "only one shot was fired."

It was decided to suspend hearing at this point.

TWO DEAD, TWO WOUNDED; REJECTED SUITOR'S VICTIMS.

Student Breaks Into Girl's House in Night, Kills Her and Fatally Wounds Mother, Sister, and Himself.

Caledonia, Minn., Jan. 2.—Matt Styer, a dentist student at the University of Minnesota, early this morning shot and killed Pearl Wheaton, daughter of S. N. Wheaton, a wealthy farmer, who had refused to marry him, wounded her mother and sister, and put a bullet through his own breast. Styer died tonight from his wound. Mrs. Wheaton and her daughter may recover.

Styer went to the home of his sweetheart during the night and violently rang the door bell, shouting that he had come to kill the entire family. He was refused entrance and broke a window, climbing in through the pane. He was met by Ruth Wheaton, a sister of the dead girl, who with a revolver attempted to defend the others. Styer wrested the weapon from her and shot her twice through the breast and abdomen. He then turned on Mrs. Wheaton and shot her twice also, through the throat and arm.

Leaving his victims, supposedly dead, he bounded up the steps to the chamber of his sweetheart, forced an entrance, shot her through the heart, and then turned the gun on himself. When the neighbors arrived the girl was dead and the young man, barely living, lay with his head on her breast.

The only other inmate of the house, a child of 10 years, escaped by leaping through the window Styer had broken. Mr. Wheaton was away from home.

Hotel Lights Fail at Dinner Hour.

One hundred and fifty persons were thrown into confusion last night when the electric lights at the Hotel Holland, Lake avenue and Fifty-third street, went out at dinner time. The usual makeshifts of tallow candles and kerosene lamps were resorted to for three-quarters of an hour. An accident to the machinery was responsible.

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MAIL HAND FAILS TO QUELL REVOLT

Baltic Provinces Still Aflame; Drastic Measures Have Little Effect on Reds.

CALLS WITTE A GAMBLER.

Conservative Organ Says He Is a Political Juggler, Varying with the Wind.

ST. PETERSBURG, Jan. 2.—The situation in the Baltic provinces is still critical. The military at Reval, Mitau, and Riga are adopting the most energetic measures. A station master who refused to send out a train at Orloff has been hanged. The insurgents made several attempts to derail a military train between Libau and Hasenfoth.

Arrests of extremists in St. Petersburg continue. An editor and others charged with distributing revolutionary literature among the soldiers have been detained by the police.

The Molva (Russ) says Count Solsky's commission has decided to change the council of state into an upper house consisting of 100 members, fifty of whom will be appointed and fifty elected.

The Narodnaia Svoboda, the former organ of Prof. Paul M. Milukoff, makes an ardent appeal to the electors to prepare for the campaign and to organize meetings for the propogation of the program of the constitutional democrats.

Witte Called a Gambler.

The Slovo, the conservative organ, which recently turned upon count de Witte, delivers a broadside not only impugning the motives of the premier in the present war against the "reds," but openly attacking the records of members of the cabinet. It says:

"Russian society supports the war against anarchy, but refuses to believe that Witte is making a fight in the interest of freedom, as all his life he has been the prince of bureaucrats. Witte is a good deal of a broker and something of a journalist, but at heart he is a political gambler and lacks the ring of sincerity. No government without honesty can inspire confidence.

STRIKE IN WARSAW FACTORIES.

WARSAW, Jan. 2.—The employés of all the factories here are on strike.

Traffic on the Vistula railroad is partially interrupted. The socialists have destroyed two bridges and are firing on the engineers. A bridge has also been destroyed on the Vienna railroad. On the Ostrovice branch of the Vistula railroad the strikers have destroyed the Wiersbnik station. The employés fled.

In the government of Kielce the revolutionists have destroyed several government buildings. At Lodz some of the factories attempted to resume work, but the workmen were threatened by the strikers with revolvers. At Sosnovice and Dombrova all the coal and iron miners are on strike.

CASUALTIES IN MOSCOW 2,500.

MOSCOW, Jan. 2, via St. Petersburg, Jan. 2.—It is impossible to ascertain the total losses resulting from the ten days fighting here, as many of the dead and wounded have not been reported at the hospitals, public or private, and some of the bodies have been incinerated. But a personal tour of the hospitals shows there were 548 killed and 1,068 wounded. One hundred and seventy-four of the injured taken to hospitals have since died.

The troops lost nine killed, of whom two were officers, and fifty-one wounded. Of the police force ten were killed and fifteen wounded. Among the killed or wounded were a number of children, the returns generally showing that innocent persons suffered most. The final figures of the casualties will closely approach 2,500.

The stories of the discovery of great heaps of dead in the Prezna district as well as many other sensational stories printed by the local papers, like the statement that over 400 revolutionists are still holding the Prokharoff mills, turn out after an investigation to be untrue. There has been no fighting at the Prokharoff mills since Saturday.

Leaders Shot Without Trial.

An eye witness of the surrender of the last batch on Sunday says that two of the ringleaders were shot without even the semblance of a trial.

The property of foreigners in the Prezna district has been damaged or destroyed to a considerable extent, among the losses being a five story brick building belonging to a naturalized American, M. Stabroffsky, who has lodged with the American consul, Mr. Smith, a demand for damages against the Russian government which has been forwarded to the embassy at St. Petersburg.

Four similar demands for damages have been lodged with the British consul and seven with the consul of Germany by British and German subjects respectively.

Reds Crushed, Governor Says.

Gov. Gen. Doubassoff today said:

"I consider a repetition of the revolt in Moscow to be impossible. The 'reds' have alienated the sympathy of a large portion of the liberals who have been inclined to look with something more than complacency on the idea of an armed uprising. The events of the last few days, however, have filled them with horror and have driven the liberals and even the radicals to the side of the government, which alone is able to preserve order. Most of the ringleaders of the revolt have either been killed or arrested, and practically all the arms which they have been accumulating for months have been captured."

While declining to give details of the losses, as his investigations have not yet been completed, the governor general pointed out that the property losses were greatly exaggerated.

The number of persons arrested was large, the governor general said, but most of them would be released without even being put through the formality of a trial. The men who were plainly guilty of treason which in other countries would be punishable with death would probably get off with terms of imprisonment at hard labor, such being the mildness of the Russian law.

Reports are coming in that a counter revolution in the outlying districts is growing rapidly and that the peasants are being summoned to protect the throne and the fatherland.

WORKMEN ATTACK DRAGOONS.

RIGA, Livonia, Russia, Jan. 2.—While a detachment of dragoons were engaged in grooming their horses here this morning they were attacked by 300 workmen armed with revolvers and swords with the result that eleven dragoons were killed and fourteen were wounded. The soldiers rallied and opened fire on their assailants, killing eight of them. Troops were then summoned and surrounded the rebels.

Emilie Grigsby—the Woman in the Case

Photograph of Beautiful Young Woman Infatuation for Whom Caused the Break in Charles T. Yerkes' Family.

MISS EMILIE GRIGSBY

SIBERIAN CAPITAL FALLS.

REBELS OCCUPY KRASNO-YARSK OF YENISEISK.

Large City Is Taken After a Sanguinary Battle by the Russian Revolutionists, Who Murder Every Soldier of the Czar Whom They Can Find, Hang the Governor and Chief of Police, and Seize $6,000,000 in the Treasury.

[BY CABLE TO THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE.]

ST. PETERSBURG, Jan. 2.—Information has reached here to the effect that an army of revolutionists has captured Krasno-Garsk, capital of the province of Yeniseisk, Siberia, after a sanguinary battle.

Scenes of frightful carnage followed the investment of the town. Every soldier who fell into the hands of the insurgents was murdered. The governor and chief of police were hanged.

The rebels seized the government's treasury, which contained $6,000,000. At last accounts they were holding the city and apparently will use it as a base of operations.

It has a cosmopolitan population of 35,000 persons, most of whom are said to be in sympathy with the revolution.

The railroad station at Irkutsk, Siberia, has been burned by revolutionists and traffic on the transcontinental line is stopped.

Serious disorders among the reserves returning from the far east are reported to have taken place at Cheliabinsk, government of Orenburg, on the Transsiberian railroad. At this place the reserves assisted the revolutionaries to release a number of agitators who had been placed under arrest.

PUT PREFECT IN A HEARSE.

Instance of Violent Disorders in Hungary Due to Installation of Officials.

VIENNA, Jan. 2.—For the last two or three months Hungary has been the scene of more or less violent disorders on the occasions of installation into office of county prefects. These offices are filled by royal appointment and the people have chosen to evince their antipathy to the crown by disorders when prefects have attempted to assume control.

When the new prefect of Debreczen county arrived at the county seat at 7 o'clock this evening he was thrown into a hearse and so badly injured that he lost consciousness. After this the crowd carried him to a room which had been prepared with the semblance of the cell of a person condemned to death and left him there. Fears are entertained that the prefect will not recover.

This is an extreme instance of the disorders attending these installations.

CALLS SANTA; DIES IN FIRE.

Christmas Tragedy in Liverpool Is Caused by Child Pleading Before Open Grate.

[BY CABLE TO THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE.]

LIVERPOOL, Jan. 2.—The coroner has been called to investigate a pathetic Santa Claus tragedy. A 6 year old girl, during the momentary absence of others from the nursery on Christmas eve, went to the fireside and called up the chimney:

"Please, Father Christmas, bring me a doll."

The flame caught in her night dress, and she was burned to death in a few moments.

ELOPEMENT STIRS NOBILITY.

Nineteen Year Old Daughter of Italian Count Flees with Man Aged Sixty-three.

ROME, Jan. 2.—A great sensation has been caused by the elopement of a daughter of Count Lutti of Treviso, 19 years old, with Count Giovanni Correr, who is 63 years old. Both belong to the most anefent of the nobility. Count Lutti reported the elopement to the police, who arrested the couple in Venice.

NOTES FROM FOREIGN LANDS.

DUBLIN—Timothy M. Healy has been chosen to contest North Louth, his present seat, against the prospective candidate of the Irish National league.

VIENNA—A series of severe earth shocks were felt at Agram, Chili, Laibach, Marburg, and Gratz. Buildings cracked and the inhabitants fled panic stricken from their houses.

SOUTHAMPTON—The American crew of the wrecked bark Edward L. Mayberry of New York, after having been landed at Havre, France, were brought to this port.

NAPLES—The aqueduct which conveys water to the city has burst, inundating the district and causing great alarm. The accident was due to the sudden cold weather.

BERLIN—Lieut. Gen. Count von Moltke has been appointed chief of the general staff, succeeding Field Marshal Count von Schlieffen.

BERLIN—The German government semi-officially disavows any relation with the persons arrested as spies at Marseilles and Toulon.

BALFOUR ON FISCAL ISSUE

FORMER PREMIER DECLARES IT ABSORBING CAMPAIGN FACTOR.

Gives Out Election Address Stating That England Should Adopt Policy Suited to Changing Conditions—Sees Error in Liberal Platform of Regarding Tariff Conditions as Immutable—Unionists Promise Direct Reform if Returned to Power.

LONDON, Jan. 2.—Arthur J. Balfour, the former premier, issued his election address tonight. After referring to the adherence of the new ministry to home rule for Ireland and to the disestablishment of the church in Wales, the address says:

"One thing the liberals regard as immutable, however the conditions of international trade may have changed, is the fiscal policy of the country. I take the more conservative view and hold that the time has arrived to adapt England's fiscal policy to the changing conditions of a changing world.

"Should you return the unionist party to power it is to the reform of the fiscal system that its attention ought first to be directed."

Uproar at Irish Meeting.

BELFAST, Ireland, Jan. 2.—Four thousand delegates, from all parts of the province of Ulster, assembled here today to protest against any attempt on the part of the government of Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman to grant home rule to Ireland. Shortly after the delegates assembled there was a scene of great disorder, some refusing to listen to the speeches. Col. Edward James Saunderson, member of parliament for North Armagh, a prominent leader of the Ulster unionists, was refused a hearing. The meeting broke up in confusion.

WITH 150 PERSONS ON BOARD STEAMER IS AT SEA'S MERCY.

Big Pacific Coast Vessel Breaks Shaft—Effort to Tow It to San Francisco Is Given Up.

San Francisco, Cal., Jan. 2.—[Special.]—With its shaft broken and without assistance the steamer City of Pueblo with 150 persons on board is rolling helplessly in the heavy sea off the mouth of the Columbia.

News of the Pueblo's condition was brought here today by Capt. Preble of the steamer Nelson. Capt. Preble reported that he encountered the Pueblo struggling along under sail.

Although the sea was running high he succeeded in getting out tow lines, but both soon parted. A collision between the vessels then was narrowly averted. Seeing that further attempts at rescue might result in a greater disaster, Capt. Preble decided to run for this port and report the condition of the disabled vessel. He says that if the weather is favorable it is in no immediate danger, though its passengers may suffer from a scarcity of provisions.

COMMANDER YOUNG GUILTY AND WILL BE REPRIMANDED.

Secretary Bonaparte Announces Part of the Findings of Court Martial in Case of Explosion on Gunboat.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 2.—Secretary Bonaparte has acted upon the proceedings of the court martial in the case of Commander Lucien Young of the gunboat Bennington, who was tried on charges connected with the fatal explosion on that vessel at San Diego last summer, in which over sixty persons lost their lives.

The court found Commander Young guilty of a part of the specifications alleging negligence of duty and sentenced him to receive a letter of reprimand, which sentence will be carried out.

The case of Ensign Wade, who was associated with Commander Young in this matter, has not yet been disposed of.

TRACK EX-GOVERNOR'S SLAYER.

Police Claim to Have Damaging Evidence Against Hogan as Assassin of Steunenberg.

Caldwell, Idaho, Jan. 2.—Police Captain Swain said tonight:

"We have conclusive evidence that the bomb used in the assassination of former Gov. Steunenberg was manufactured in room No. 19 of the Saratoga hotel (the room occupied by Hogan), and that the detailed plans probably were formulated there."

Vessels in Hogan's room, said Swain, show a sediment of plaster of Paris. It was further stated by the captain that in his opinion the evidence accumulated against Hogan was overwhelming. He did not feel justified in making much of it public, but he was willing to state that one feature was the finding of the shoes that he wore on the night of the murder. The shoes and nails in the soles, and these nails were found to fit perfectly into tracks which are believed to have been made by the assassin while escaping from the scene.

FEAR OF EXPOSE DROVE M'CALL OUT

N. Y. Life President to Resign Today and Forestall Report of Investigators.

PAYS HAMILTON ADVANCE

Returns $235,000, May Have to Give Up More; Cleveland Is Made Rebate Referee.

New York, Jan. 2.—[Special.]—John A. McCall will present his resignation as president of the New York Life at a special meeting of the board of trustees tomorrow. He will take this action because he knows the company's self-investigating committee would report against him if he did not.

All the statements to the effect that McCall is retiring against the wishes of the majority of the trustees are, it is declared, without foundation. His fate was sealed, so far as his continuing in the presidency is concerned, when he presented to the Fowler investigating committee the Andy Hamilton report of the moneys expended for legislative purposes, and the trustees, it is asserted, will accept his resignation at tomorrow's meeting, and Alexander E. Orr, in all probability, will be elected his temporary successor.

Pays Andy Hamilton Claim.

Mr. McCall today made good his pledge to pay into the company's treasury the $235,000 advanced by him in 1904 to "Judge" Andy Hamilton ostensibly for use in acquiring real estate in rear of the home office building.

It is understood that the committee in accepting the McCall payment, by no means will regard it as a complete settlement of the Hamilton account. It probably will be held pending an adjustment—and Hamilton or McCall or perhaps both will be held responsible in the event of the debit balance to the New York Life being more than $235,000. The general statement which Hamilton sent over from Paris made no pretense of accounting for the funds paid to him prior to 1899. The books of the New York Life show that $1,167,310 has been paid to him, all told, and $955,083 since January, 1899. The statement accounted for only $720,550 that had been received by him since 1889.

Of the $235,000 paid by McCall today, $85,000 is in the form of a check and $150,000 is his personal note. It was said by one of McCall's friends that he expected in the end to be out nothing in the transaction. By another it was declared that the outgoing president could not liquidate in one lump sum because he is a poor man. He will go out of office with practically nothing except his life insurance policy of $500,000, and in order to pay his $150,000 note he may have to get assistance from his wife and some friends.

Trace Leak to McCall.

The Fowler investigating committee held a meeting this afternoon to consider the McCall payment. Some of the committeemen were wrathy over the "leaks" that have occurred concerning the company's affairs. They were vexed particularly over the appearance in print of the fact that McCall had turned the $235,000 back into the company's treasury before the check and note had reached Chairman Fowler. Some of them seemed to suspect McCall of being anxious to get the facts before the public for the possible effect which they might have at tomorrow's meeting.

Several New York Life trustees called on Mr. Orr to urge him to accept the presidency of the company. Mr. Orr, it is understood, said he would prefer that they select somebody else for permanent president, but he would serve as acting head if they were not able to agree on any other candidate tomorrow.

Among others mentioned as possible candidates are Norman B. Ream and Hiram R. Steele, who both are members of the investigating committee; John Claflin, who also is a trustee of the company; J. Edward Simmons, president of the Fourth National bank; and Secretary of the Treasury Leslie M. Shaw.

Cleveland to Be Rebate Referee.

Ex-President Grover Cleveland has agreed to serve as "rebate referee" for the three big life insurance companies—the Equitable, the Mutual, and the New York Life. Mr. Cleveland will, so to speak, be the court of last resort in the settlement of all disputes between the companies and their agents, or between the companies' policy holders in reference to rebating cases.

Mr. Cleveland will receive for his services a salary of $12,000 a year, to be paid jointly by the three companies named above. The late Thomas B. Reed served in a similar capacity for the three big companies shortly after his retirement from congress, but the office was discontinued by the companies.

Persons familiar with the life insurance situation expressed the opinion today that the naming of Grover Cleveland as rebate referee is only the first step in a movement which may result in making the ex-president the most powerful factor in the reorganization of the life insurance business. These persons are inclined to regard Mr. Cleveland's appointment as the judge in rebating cases as merely nominal.

In their opinion an effort will be made before long to have the ex-president act as a general adjuster for the three big companies—that is, as arbiter of all life insurance questions among the three big companies.

That there is in the present emergency a great desire on the part of the companies to stand together and present a solid front in the reorganization process is the admitted fact. There are hundreds of different matters springing up between the companies regularly, which if referred to an independent arbiter would be quickly settled with satisfaction to the policy holders.

All Promise to Reform.

Before Mr. Cleveland would agree to accept the refereeship he insisted upon pledges by all the companies that he be seconded in his efforts to stop the practice. The Equitable, Mutual, and New York Life have, accordingly, entered into an "ironclad" agreement with one another to put a stop to the rebating of premiums. They have decreed that any agent found guilty of rebating shall be summarily dismissed from his company's service, and he will thereafter be debarred from employment by any of the companies participating in the agreement.

The Armstrong legislative investigating committee showed conclusively in its examination of witnesses that the cause of rebating lay chiefly in the tremendous rush and rivalry between the big companies to write new business. If through the medium of Mr. Cleveland's services the competition can be put upon a conservative basis the first year's premiums can be reduced.

Hot After Mutual Life.

Senator Brackett has begun suit against the old management and board of trustees of the Mutual Life for an accounting and the recovery of the moneys wasted and diverted. The plaintiff in the action is E. H. Peters, a lawyer in Saratoga and a policy holder. Every trustee in the company will be made a defendant. Summons was served on several Mutual trustees today.

Attorney General Mayer also has in course of preparation a suit against the Mutual's board of trustees and officers similar to the blanket action which he brought against the Equitable.

Charles A. Peabody, the newly elected head of the company, assumed office today, replacing Acting President Frederic Cromwell, who will resume his duties as treasurer.

Robert H. McCurdy, son of Former President Richard A. McCurdy, today ceased to be general manager of the Mutual. Both the McCurdys still are on the board of trustees.

Foreman of Jury Indicted.

Helena, Mont., Jan. 2.—The federal grand jury has indicted among others Joseph P. Woolman of Helena, formerly United States marshal, on a charge of illegally fencing public lands. Mr. Woolman was foreman up to the time an indictment was returned against him, when he retired in order, as he said, not to hamper the jury. He gave $1,000 bail.

BUSINESS NOTICES.

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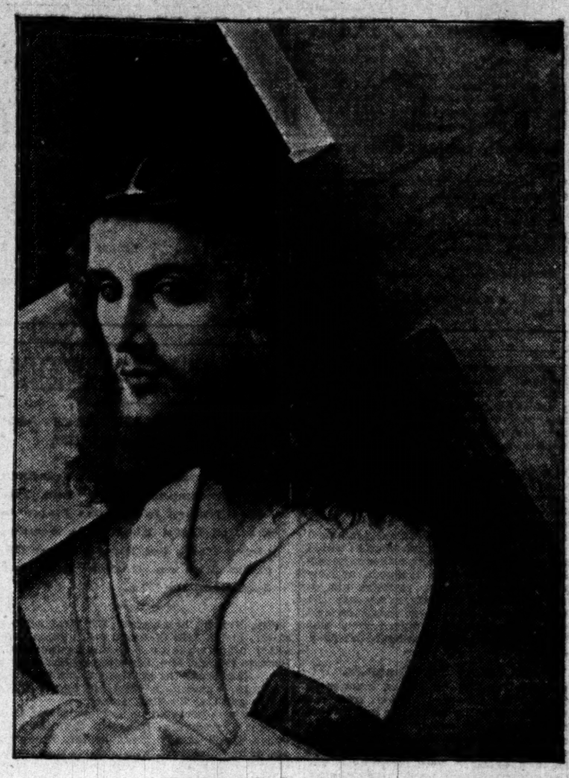
Famous Picture Missed from Italy in Mrs. Jack Gardner's Collection.



Giorgione's picture, "Christ with the Cross," whose disappearance from the Loschi palace at Vicenza has aroused an investigation by the Italian authorities, has been reposing in Mrs. "Jack" Gardner's collection in Boston since 1890. It is not known how she managed to secure the picture from Italy, inasmuch as the former owners faced almost certain detection and a heavy fine for letting the masterpiece go out of the country. For the last five years "Christ with the Cross" has been openly catalogued as among the treasures of the Gardner collection. This picture is regarded as one of Giorgione's early works. It has since proved so attractive to subsequent artists that four variations, not strictly copies, have been found.

PRISONER BORED; LEAVES.

FRANK BROWN, FROM CHICAGO, ESCAPES IN NEW YORK.

Slaps Keeper of Raymond Street Jail on Back, Saying He's Tired of Hanging Around, and the Guard, Thinking Him a Visitor, Lets Him Pass Out—Had Fought Extradition to East Stubbornly for Several Weeks.

New York, Jan. 2.—[Special.]—Patting the lockup keeper kindly on the back and remarking he thought he'd stayed long enough, Frank Brown, an eminent specialist in other people's diamonds and in second story work generally, walked out of the Raymond street jail in Brooklyn this afternoon.

Brown, who was arrested for the burglary of ex-Senator Laroche's house in Brooklyn Nov. 24, had been brought from Chicago after fighting extradition desperately since Nov. 26. His stay in jail variously is estimated at from fifteen to twenty minutes.

New Sheriff Not Put Wise.

This morning Brown was taken before Judge Frederick E. Crane to plead to an indictment and then was turned over to Detective Baochanelli to be taken to the Raymond street jail to await trial. Sergeant Graham warned Baochanelli that his prisoner was one of the most desperate and cunning crooks known to the police. Baochanelli promised to pass the word to Michael J. Flaherty, the brand new sheriff in charge of the Raymond street jail.

Sheriff Flaherty denies that the information was passed on. At any rate he didn't know he had a dangerous criminal in the place until Brown had become bored by the lack of attention paid him and had walked out.

Brown Seemed Well Guarded.

Brown arrived at the jail shortly after 11 o'clock. He was assigned to a cell in the second tier above the ground floor, but was shifted to tier B, which is on a level with the first floor prison and easily watched from the door of the pen. The only entrance to the pen is through an iron gate at which a keeper always is on guard. If the prisoner should succeed in passing the entrance of the pen he would still have to walk through the adjoining office and along a corridor to the outer door of the jail, which is constantly guarded.

At 1 o'clock the prisoners were let out for exercise in the corridor between the cells. They were locked in again at 2 o'clock, and at that time County Detective Rastus Backus came to the jail to have a talk with the new prisoners. He spoke to several of them and visited Brown's cell. The cell door was open, he says, and Brown not to be found. Backus at once went to the gate and asked Keeper Maud where Brown was. Maud insisted Brown was in cell 14 and was greatly surprised when the detective told him the cell was empty.

Prisoner Tells How It Was Done.

As they talked Backus stood near the first cell in tier B, occupied by a prisoner named Snyder, who knew the detective well and who, overhearing the conversation, remarked in a casual way:

"Brown, or whatever that western fellow was called, beat it out of here about two hours ago. He didn't stay fifteen minutes."

Snyder then said he had seen Brown walk up to the keeper at the gate, slap him on the back, and remark:

"Well, I guess I'll be going. I don't care to stay here much longer."

Snyder said the keeper, evidently thinking the prisoner was a visitor, opened the gate and passed him out. Whoever was at the outer gate must have been as easily taken in and allowed Brown to go out the front door.

REAL "VIRGINIAN" TAKES BRIDE

Cowboy Ranch Manager Owen Wister Idealized in Novel Weds a San Francisco Girl.

San Francisco, Cal., Jan. 2.—[Special.]—The original of Owen Wister's "The Virginian," John Henry Hicks, manager of the great "T. O." rank in Mexico, was married today to Miss Katherine Adams, daughter of Edward F. Adams, editorial writer on a San Francisco newspaper. Hicks first met her when she was a school teacher at Tempe, Aris., Mexican friends of Hicks sent him a box of a dozen dolls, dressed to represent characters in Wister's story. Hicks and his wife will live on the "T. O." ranch, which is south of the Rio Grande, 150 miles from El Paso.

SLAYER OF GOEBEL LOSES OUT.

United States Supreme Court Affirms Verdict of Kentucky Tribunal Against James B. Howard.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 2.—[Special.]—The fate of James B. Howard of Kentucky, convicted of the murder of Gov. William Goebel on Jan. 3, 1900, was sealed by the United States Supreme court today in affirming the verdict. Unless the president interferes the verdict against Howard will be executed.

MANY YIELD THE EIGHT HOUR DAY

Agreement Made with Union Printers Kept by Numerous Employers.

LOCKOUTS IN SIX SHOPS.

Big Typothetæ Concerns Declare That the Battle Will Be Continued.

Agitation extending over two years won the eight hour day for thousands of union printers in Chicago yesterday. Employers who months ago agreed to the reduction in hours without resistance adopted the new order according to their promises and the compositors for the first time enjoyed the extra sixty minutes of leisure for which they have been contending.

The eight hour strike proper, however, still continues against the large Typothetæ shops, twenty-six of which cling to the nine hour day and the "open shop," and against twenty-two smaller "independent" concerns.

The general lockout predicted in hundreds of small offices failed to materialize during the day, although the proprietors of these shops may act later. Compositors were forced to strike in only six establishments, as follows:

	Men locked out.
University of Chicago Press	23
Thomas P. Leahy	5
Libby & Sherwood Printing Co.	4
Barnhart Bros. & Spindler	4
Johnson, Koch & Quinn	2
Prinkey & Porter	1
Total	39

Fight to Be Continued.

The union officials claimed a small advantage in developments. According to assertions by the larger employers, whose determination to run "open" shops remains unchanged, there will be a break in the ranks of the smaller establishments within the next two weeks which will force at least 200 more printers into the street.

The fight for an advantage in what is admitted to have been an even struggle up to date was sharp during the day. While union pickets made raid after raid upon the Typothetæ shops and succeeded in inducing fifty nonunionists to desert, agents for the employers were equally busy and from reserve crews speedily replaced the men who left.

In the evening Secretary E. F. Hamm of the Typothetæ declared that the nonunion forces in the "struck" establishments were as strong numerically as in the morning. The union officials contented themselves with the belief that they had "deported" some of the more efficient "strikebreakers."

Another development which was feared by employers, and which did not come to pass, was a sympathetic strike of the allied printing crafts. No trouble of this sort was reported, the pressmen, bookbinders, electrotypers, and photo engravers remaining at their posts under the old nine hour schedule.

Predicts More Open Shops.

For the employers Secretary Hamm made the prediction that another victory will have been scored for the "open" shop by the end of the month.

"So far as the Typothetæ shops are concerned," he said, "they are in a condition to maintain the 'open' shop and the nine hour day permanently. Resistance of a more or less troublesome nature doubtless will be met with from the union for some time to come."

President Wright of Typographical union No. 16 said that the eight hour day fight in Chicago had been "three-fourths" won.

"The strike against the Typothetæ firms will be continued until they yield," he said. "The fact that we have not conquered the twenty-six big shops detracts nothing from the statement that the eight hour day order now is assured in the job and book printing offices of the city."

The union officials asserted that the eight hour issue was not at stake in the University of Chicago Press shop, but that the printers were locked out when they refused to work eight hours for less wages. They declared also that the University Press had been permitted to run an "open" shop with student compositors for some time without protest from the union.

Attack on Printers' Union.

Evidence of the bitterness maintained in the struggle was contained in an anonymous letter circulated by the Typothetæ purporting to have been written by a member of the typographical union and attacking the international officers of the union for mismanagement of the eight hour strike. Part of the letter follows:

While the rank and file of the union have been buoyed up by the hopes of a million dollar defense fund, President Lynch and the other high officials of the organization are recklessly spending thousands of dollars on office furniture and their own personal desires. What has become of the $13,000 weekly income of the International Typographical union, not to speak of the assessment guaranteed by the American Federation of Labor? The rank and file of the union have been handled like cattle and robbed of their earnings.

This letter declares that no referendum vote was taken on the 10 per cent assessment recently levied by the executive board. This and the other assertions made in the letter were denied by local union officials.

GIRLS WORSE THAN BOYS.

STARTLING ASSERTION BY CLERK OF JUVENILE COURT.

William O. La Monte Declares Delinquency Is Increasing Among Little Lassies at an Alarming Rate—Urges Members of Social Economics Club to Use Their Influence Against Disreputable Dance Halls — State Refuge at Geneva Overcrowded.

The bad boy is disappearing; the bold, bad girl is taking his place. She is the girl who wears her hat on one side, swings along the street smiling at every man she passes, whisks into the dance hall, whirls through the throng, tipples wine, snaps her fingers disdainfully in her mother's face, ignores her warnings. She is society's problem; compared with her the street gamin with the tangled shock is like a cherub with its face turned toward the sky. That is what William O. La Monte, for five years clerk of the Juvenile court, told the members of the Social Economics club yesterday.

"Do you mean to say that delinquency is increasing among girls?" demanded an aggrieved member, amazed.

"I do," asserted Mr. La Monte. "I mean that and I mean that delinquency among girls is increasing much more rapidly than among boys; it is increasing at an alarming extent."

A club member smiled.

"What do you mean by smiling when you hear such terrible things?" cried Dr. Mary Donohue. "You would better weep. It is an outrage to smile."

"Pardon me, Doctor," interrupted Mrs. Thompson, the chairman, "just a moment. I believe Mr. La Monte had something more to say."

Puts Blame on Dance Halls.

The threatening storm passed and Mr. La Monte went on:

"During the first six months following the establishment of the Juvenile court," declared the speaker, "only six delinquent girls were brought before the bar. The year before last the number increased to 384, and it is growing constantly. I believe when the totals are made for last year the number will be found to reach nearly 600. You women, we all ought to work day and night to create a public sentiment which will cause the extinction of those infamous dance halls in which nearly all those girls started on their downward career.

"Something must be done to stop the terrible increase in the number of delinquent girls. At the state refuge at Geneva every room is full; in nearly every room there are cots to accommodate the overflow. The institution resembles a hotel in convention time. It is impossible to build cottages fast enough to meet the increase."

Inadequate Fire Escapes.

The speaker then severely criticised the fire protection afforded the inmates of the refuge.

"Because of the niggardly policy of the county," he said, "twenty or thirty little girls who should have been sent to industrial schools have been sent to Geneva. There they are quartered in narrow, little rooms on the third floor. At night the doors of these rooms are locked from the outside and the windows are locked from the outside. There is no fire escape. What would happen should this building catch fire? The matron probably would become too panic stricken to take time to unlock all the doors and the children would die like rats in a trap."

Bad Boys in Boulevards.

Speaking of the bad boys brought into the Juvenile court, Mr. La Monte declared that the boys living along the boulevards were just as bad as the boys of Halsted street, the Ghetto, and the alleys.

"The worst boy that ever came into the court," he declared, "was a Kenwood boy whose father was a Sunday school superintendent. The boys and girls of the well to do are just as prone to become bad as the boys and girls of the poor."

The speaker declared that too many cases are crowded into the Juvenile court each day.

"Because a judge wants to get hold of some chancery work in the Circuit court," he urged, "one of the most important branches of the court in this city is neglected and from 110 to 150 cases are heard in a day. There should be more Juvenile court days."

OHIO SPEAKER BARS LOBBYISTS

Official Acts Promptly on Suggestion Received from Governor Herrick.

Columbus, O., Jan. 2.—[Special.]—The lobbyists were dealt a knockout blow today when Speaker Thompson of the house of representatives ordered the sergeant at arms to enforce the rules governing those to be permitted inside the chamber. In the past lobbyists have entered the chamber at will and even openly fought for or against legislation from the floor of both branches of the general assembly. Gov. Herrick, in his message yesterday, urged both houses to bar lobbyists, and Speaker Thompson took action at the first opportunity.

After Digestion—What?

It's not enough to digest your food, and reduce it to pulp or liquid inside you, but it must also be properly absorbed, carried to the proper organs, filtered, purified, and carried by your blood to the various parts of your body which are worn out and stand in need of repair.

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SCATHING REPORT ON PEORIA STEAL.

Members of Dougherty School Board Declared Unfaithful to Trust.

MAY BE HELD LIABLE.

Action Likely to Be Taken Against Bank; Receiver Berry Will Fight.

Peoria, Ill., Jan. 2.—[Special.]—The report of the expert auditors showing that Prof. Newton C. Dougherty, now in the Joliet penitentiary, embezzled more than $500,000 of Peoria school funds in the last seven years, and censuring present and past school trustees for gross dereliction of duty, was made public tonight.

Before a full meeting of the Peoria school board the results of the investigation made by the Everett Audit company of this city were laid bare. The reading of the voluminous 30,000 word report, cataloging the items of the tremendous steal and visiting scathing condemnation upon the negligent trustees, consumed more than two hours and was attended by intense excitement.

Most of the men who were held up by the investigators as unfaithful to the trust reposed in them by the public sat in a circle beneath the clerk as he read the document.

The board, on the strength of the report, which claims the Peoria National bank is liable, elected Judge David McCullough to act as attorney in recovering from the bank, instructing him to enjoin the bank from further payment of dividends or other disbursements until the claim of the board should be adjusted in the courts.

Trustees Declared Negligent.

The trustees declared negligent of proper supervision of Dougherty's administration of the school funds are O. J. Bailey and H. J. Triebel, present members; W. T. Irwin, former member of the finance committee; A. Peter, J. S. Wolf, and F. M. Zeltz, present members, and H. O'Connor, J. H. Boyd, and J. T. Weisbruch, former members of the auditing committee.

Summarized, the report makes these findings:

From June 30, 1890, to Oct. 7, 1905, Dougherty stole by means of forged scrip $541,408.

The members of the school board, particularly the finance and auditing committees, are responsible to the public for this steal and may be held personally liable for the restitution of the money.

The liquidated Peoria National bank cashed the forged scrip unlawfully and its officers and stockholders may be held personally liable for restitution of the amounts stolen.

As forecasted in THE TRIBUNE Monday morning, the detailed inquiry into the conduct of the former school superintendent and educational authority has placed the total of his peculations far beyond the wildest conjectures at the time of the scandal.

With the discovery of the half million dollar steal in the last five years goes the intimation of the auditors that the investigation of the remaining twenty years of his administration will reveal an equal shortage bringing the grand total of the loot up to $1,000,000. Dougherty henceforth will stand forth as one of the greatest swindlers of all times.

What Became of Loot?

The advance publication of a summary in THE TRIBUNE of the report has stirred Peoria to the depths and again speculation is seeking to fathom the mystery of what the schoolman did with his swag. His property attached by the school board aggregates less than $400,000. It is conjectured that he lost the greater part of the booty in speculation on the stock market and in his mining ventures.

The report shows specifically how Dougherty worked his gigantic swindle. His principal rake off was from fictitious and forged scrip drawn to pay for school supplies while a secondary source of income was from the salaries of dead and fictitious school teachers and other employés which he carried on the pay rolls for years. The table showing his steals under this classification for the last five years is as follows:

From—	To—	Pay rolls.	Sundry scrip.	Total.
July 1, '05	Oct. 7, '05	$ 60	.....	$ 60
July 1, '04	June 30, '05	39,184	52,856	92,040
July 1, '03	June 30, '04	37,580	61,520	99,116
July 1, '02	June 30, '03	39,076	86,078	125,154
July 1, '01	June 30, '02	23,793	41,632	65,398
July 1, '00	June 30, '01	29,794	26,955	56,749

The charge of negligence preferred against the members of the board is put by the investigators as follows:

"It is a self-evident fact that if the several members of the auditing committee properly had checked over the pay rolls each month, or if the members of the finance committee properly had audited the financial records, or if the president had used ordinary care and made a casual examination before signing or issuing the scrip, or if the treasurer, who was elected as the financial officer of the board, had fulfilled his or her duties, it would have been utterly impossible for this immense amount of rascality to have been accomplished."

More Accused of Negligence.

The report then names as the persons guilty of negligence the members of the finance and auditing committees and in addition Barnhart Meals, for twelve years president of the board, R. J. Dooley, Mrs. M. B. Reynolds, and Mrs. Lucy B. Tyng, treasurers, the last named recently deceased, and N. C. Dougherty, secretary.

"All these officers," the report continues, "have been so extremely careless, month after month, in the performance of their duties that it is useless at this time for them to attempt to formulate or present any excuse that would relieve them from being censured. In plain English, they have been grossly negligent of their duties and unfaithful to their trust."

Speaking of the responsibility of the trustees in general for the whole period of Dougherty's defalcations, the report says:

"None of the board of school inspectors for the last seven years has fulfilled his duty properly and faithfully.

"This may sound harsh to the members—it may grate upon their feelings—but with our knowledge of what has been done and what should have been done, it is the fact and the truth.

"If it is possible to legally establish this status of conditions—i. e., that the board of school inspectors is a 'board of trustees' and amenable to the laws as trustees—the individual members of the board would be chargeable with all the deficiency in the funds and moneys of the board that they are unable or fail to collect and return to the treasury. Neither ignorance, carelessness, nor misplaced confidence would suffice to relieve them."

Fix Bank's Responsibility.

Of the responsibility of the bank in cashing the forged paper and in paying out school moneys without the proper delegated authority, the report does not mince words, but boldly declares that the liquidated institution is civilly liable for the recovery of the funds.

"There can be no reasonable doubt whatever," runs the report, "that every officer and clerk in the Peoria National bank was fully informed and acquainted with the writings of N. C. Dougherty, and with so many pieces of forged scrip handled each month there is no possible excuse for the payment of the forged scrip to N. C. Dougherty. It is evident that the officers were extremely negligent in permitting such procedure.

"In the last seven years there is in all about 5,200 pieces of forged paper that has been presented and cashed by this bank and charged to the board of school inspectors' account.

"We are of the opinion that with the proper effort and prompt legal action upon the part of the board of school inspectors recovery can be made from the bank for all payments made by the bank on account of the forged scrip."

Considerable space is devoted to a description of the involved devices by means of which Dougherty operated his confidence game:

"The 'modus operandi' of Dougherty in obtaining the funds from the bank was as follows: Dougherty as secretary of the board of school inspectors would draw fictitious and fraudulent scrip of orders on the treasurer of the board, and by fraudulently and flagrantly deceiving the president of the board would make it appear to him that the fictitious scrip was legitimate, and the president having unlimited confidence in the integrity of the secretary, would accept the secretary's statement as being truthful and correct, and would sign the scrip as presented.

"As a general rule the fictitious scrip was taken to the bank by N. C. Dougherty. According to the testimony of the bank officers, before the grand jury, the scrip was presented to the proper clerks or officers of the bank, first having been fraudulently indorsed by said N. C. Dougherty, thereupon he would receive in exchange for same either currency or cashier's drafts upon Chicago, or New York city banks, thereby enabling him to abstract, embezzle or misappropriate the banks' funds for his own personal use and benefit. All of this fraudulent scrip was charged to the account of the board of school inspectors."

Funds Into Many Channels.

Some idea of the wholesale manner in which Dougherty poured his loot from the school funds into the enterprise and investments in which he was interested may be gained from this table, listing drafts to the amount of more than $90,000 which the school man obtained from the bank in exchange for fraudulent scrip in two and a half years:

No.	drafts. Indorsed to order of.	Amount.
16.	Hart Taylor, care Bartlett, Frazier & Co., Chicago	$33,591
6.	Ralph L. Dougherty, Denver, Colo.	15,598
5.	B. Ross, Denver Colo.	9,525
4.	Walter S. Logan, New York City.	
	Beaumont Oil	6,050
4.	Ætna Indemnity Co., New York City	5,925
2.	The World Today, Chicago	750
1.	C. E. Meise, Chicago, Cripple Creek Homestake company	2,000
1.	L. K. Dillman, Chicago	3,000
1.	A. Reynolds, American Copper Mining and Refining company	2,875
2.	R. Rutledge, St. Louis	5,200
2.	Sarah A. Good, West Grove, Pa.	4,200
1.	J. A. H. Andrews & Co., Chicago	350
1.	John J. Burnett, Vine Grove, Ky. (horse dealer)	500
1.	N. C. Dougherty, currency	3,250
	Total	$90,514

In addition the bank cashed irregularly legitimate scrip to the amount of $11,228 which was irregularly countersigned by Horace R. Dougherty, son of the convicted swindler.

The report removes all doubt that Dougherty in hundreds of instances forged the signature of President Meals to scrip. But Dougherty was not the only official of the bank who forged scrip.

"We are informed by reliable authority," say the auditors, "that the president's signature was forged by an employé of the Peoria National bank; but fortunately no loss occurred to the board, as all the scrip having the forged signature of the president was for legitimate bills and the proper parties got the money."

Cash Books Missing.

The cash books and vouchers covering the fiscal transactions of the board are reported missing for several years. In conclusion the report says:

"It is simply astonishing the immense number of items that have been recorded and falsified where ordinary care on the part of the officers would have prevented or disclosed the rascality of the secretary."

The school real estate has been mismanaged grossly for fifteen or twenty years, the finance committee having failed to cause revaluations and proper rent collections. This neglect represents a loss to the taxpayers of many hundred thousand dollars.

The report on the chaotic condition of the real estate accounts of the board is separate and devoted almost exclusively to an exhaustive tabulation of the pieces of property on which no revaluation has been made, the rents uncollected, leases missing or irregularly executed, etc.

In concluding this section of the preliminary investigation the auditors say:

"It is hard for one to believe that the property today has no greater value than it had 15 to 25 years ago. In some instances the property has remained at the same rate of rental for 20 to 30 years.

"It is evident that the finance committee was negligent in the matter of the collection of rent—in fact, the tenants were given a free hand—pay when you please. As a rule the money was paid to the Peoria National bank.

"Accounts were not kept with each tenant, and in many cases the amount of cash is entered in the cash book by the bank clerks, but no name entered opposite the amount, so that it is extremely difficult to give the tenant the proper credit.

"Some of the leases have some of the payments marked on the back, but in many cases the amount paid is not given or the date of payment, the entry merely stating the date the rent was paid up to.

Never Presented Correct Report.

"This carelessness and negligence in direct opposition to the rules of the board is also supplimented by the fact that the finance committee (according to the minutes) never presented a correct report of the condition of its finances to the board, as the record of rents (except the total cash received for same) was never presented.

"Every member of the finance committee from 1887 to the present date, 1905, has repeatedly and almost continuously failed to perform his duties—has shown gross carelessness and inattention in the conduct of the business of handling the rental properties and collecting the rent.

"As a summary we note that they have neglected to have the proper valuation made on the property; to procure a fair rental income therefrom; to collect the rents properly; to keep a proper and correct record of accounts with the tenants; to make a proper report of its finances, and to procure the authority to execute leases."

"I certainly shall oppose every effort on the part of the school board to make the Peoria National bank responsible for any or all of the Dougherty defalcations," said Receiver Berry tonight.

"I shall pay no attention to the notice which has been served on me by the school board, and as soon as my report for December is completed I shall take steps to have another dividend declared by the controller of the currency. If the board expects to stop me they must do so by injunction and I expect that an injunction will be sought.

"It is a serious question. An injunction will tie up this bank indefinitely. It will block all further dividends for several months at least and will stop all action except collections, which I will continue to push.

"The entire assets of the bank, including about $1,000,000, are at stake, and the case, whoever wins the first battle, is bound to go to the upper courts. This means litigation for several years and perhaps suffering on the part of depositors; but it is the only way to settle the matter, and I presume that it is necessary."

DOUGHERTY'S THEFTS FROM SCHOOL FUNDS IN SEVEN YEARS.

(From July 1, 1898, to June 30, 1905.)

(Compiled by Everett Audit company of Chicago.)

Year ending	Payrolls—Authorized.	Payrolls—Verified.	Payrolls—Scrip paid.	Payrolls—Overpaid.	Sundry bills—Authorized.	Sundry bills—Scrip paid.	Sundry bills—Overpaid.	Total overpaid.	No. of irregular scrip.
July to Oct. 7, 1905	$ 21,639.14	$ 20,120.58	$ 20,180.58	$ 60.00	$ 11,272.08	$ 11,272.08	.....	$ 60.00	1
June 30, 1905	188,274.06	163,087.00	202,271.68	39,184.68	34,772.90	89,629.06	$ 54,856.16	94,040.84	873
June 30, 1904	181,563.67	157,211.48	194,808.05	37,596.57	66,099.59	127,619.59	61,520.00	99,116.57	824
June 30, 1903	168,344.92	148,856.95	185,127.70	36,280.75	100,008.35	186,086.51	86,078.16	122,358.91	802
June 30, 1902	143,012.26	141,033.44	174,799.58	32,766.14	95,975.25	137,607.84	41,632.59	75,398.73	757
June 30, 1901	128,673.51	131,217.17	161,616.30	30,399.13	41,899.42	67,223.52	25,324.10	55,723.23	653
June 30, 1900	123,278.26	125,122.86	152,961.86	27,839.50	73,310.92	92,570.42	19,259.50	47,099.00	679
June 30, 1899	119,677.28	122,134.17	149,236.67	27,102.50	68,544.52	89,053.24	20,508.72	47,611.22	605
Totals, 7 years	$1,074,463.10	$1,008,783.15	$1,241,012.42	$232,229.27	$491,883.03	$801,062.26	$309,179.23	$541,408.50	5,194

SUMMARY.

Pay rolls—Scrip paid	$1,241,012.42	
Verified bills	1,008,783.15	
Overpaid		$232,229.27
Sundry bills—Scrip paid	801,062.26	
Authorized	491,883.03	
Overpaid		$309,179.23
Total overpayments		$541,408.50

Scrip issued irregularly, 5,194 pieces.

From the total overpayment of $541,408.50, as above shown, there is yet to be deducted an amount approximating $15,000 for the seven years, for amounts paid for sundry items that were legitimate debts, but not properly authorized by the board.

The exact amount is yet to be verified, at which time proper credit will be given.

LOSES GEM BY SLUMMING.

MRS. CHAMBERLAIN SAYS $400 EARRING WAS STOLEN.

John P. Ryan, a Diamond Salesman Who Accompanied Her and Two Other Women to Various Places in the Red Light District, Is Accused of the Theft, but His Employer Declares Him an Honest Man and Goes Bond for Him.

Mrs. Frank Chamberlain, 859 West Adams street, lost a $400 diamond earring last Saturday night while on a slumming tour with her two friends, Mrs. Howard and Mrs. Johnson. She thinks the gem was taken by John P. Ryan, a salesman employed by the Stein & Elbogen Co., 103 State street.

Ryan was arrested on her complaint and Justice Prindiville released the prisoner under $1,000 surety given by Mr. Elbogen, one of his employers, who declares that Ryan is an honest man. The case will be heard tomorrow.

Mrs. Chamberlain lives in well furnished apartments. She wouldn't see anybody last evening, but she said many things from behind the door.

"Now, please go away," she said. "My attorney has told me not to talk about the case. I am just sick over it. There isn't anything more that can be said. I and my friends were perfectly innocent in the matter.

Tells of Slumming Tour.

"Mrs. Howard, Mrs. Johnson, two other women, and myself were dining at the Union restaurant. I won't tell where Mrs. Howard and Mrs. Johnson live, because my attorney has asked me not to. We were introduced at the restaurant to Mr. Ryan and another man, and we remained there an hour or longer. We drank several times, but nothing intoxicating.

"Then Mr. Ryan suggested that we go out and see the sights. I did not know there was any harm in it. I had read about slumming parties and I thought it would be great fun. It was fun while it lasted, but it doesn't seem so funny now. I don't know what my husband will think. He is in San Francisco on business.

"So Mrs. Johnson, Mrs. Howard, myself, and Ryan got into a carriage. The other man rode outside.

Misses Her Diamond Earring.

"When we stopped at the Everleigh club I noticed that my diamond pendant, for which I paid $400, was missing from my ear. I am certain Ryan took it and I have two witnesses to prove it."

The Everleigh club is near the Twenty-second street police station. After she had discovered her loss, Mrs. Chamberlain notified the police. Ryan and the entire party were arrested.

"The charge is preposterous," said Ryan. "Why should I carry away the woman's diamond when I have been trading in them for years? I don't even know her."

Ryan has been employed by the Stein & Elbogen company for six years. Max Elbogen, a member of the firm, said the firm frequently trusted him with $25,000 worth of diamonds at a time and he never had violated the confidence.

Sergt. McCann of Twenty-second street, who worked on the case, said Mrs. Johnson gave the address of 104 Potomac avenue and Mrs. Howard, 810 Milwaukee avenue.

SHOWS HOW TO OPERATE RAILROAD BY ELECTRICITY.

Bion J. Arnold Gives Western Society of Engineers Plans for Terminals Without Steam Locomotives.

Plans for handling trains at a railway terminus by electrical power were shown to the Western Society of Engineers last evening by Bion J. Arnold. Mr. Arnold was one of the speakers at the installation of officers and banquet held at the Sherman house. E. C. Carter, the retiring president, made the opening address, followed by Willard A. Smith, the new president, who acted as toastmaster.

Mr. Arnold showed views of the projected change in the New York terminals of the New York Central railroad. Serious accidents in the tunnel and the nuisance of the dirt, gas, and noise incident to the use of locomotives, he said, had forced the undertaking of the change. The matter was of special interest in view of the growing prospect of similar changes on the Illinois Central suburban system.

L. E. Cooley, speaking on the ownership of public utilities, said he favored this policy, with proper restrictions. Other speakers were Isham Randolph, Onward Bates, Prof. D. C. Jackson, and S. G. McMeen.

HOCH'S LAWYER ROUSES OLSON

Assistant State's Attorney Threatens Suit Against Frank Comerford Over Affidavit.

Harry Olson, assistant state's attorney, yesterday resented the charge which, it is said, will be made by Attorney Frank Comerford, counsel for Johann Hoch, under sentence of death Feb. 23.

Attorney Comerford is seeking to secure a rehearing of the Hoch case before the Supreme court. He will file an affidavit, it is said, signed by Mrs. Fischer-Hoch, to the effect that she testified under duress, and that the questions put to her were in such a form that she was compelled to make certain replies.

"If any such affidavit is filed I will begin proceedings against Mr. Comerford for criminal libel," said Mr. Olson. "Any reflection cast upon my conduct of the case will be met promptly."

BROKEN LEG FATAL TO ACTRESS.

Causes Lockjaw and Louise Morewin of "Heir to the Hoorah" Company Dies at Wesley Hospital.

Miss Louise Meyer, known on the stage as Louise Morewin, and a member of the "Heir to the Hoorah" company, died at Wesley hospital last evening of lockjaw, as a result of a broken leg, sustained at Newark, O., on Dec. 26. She had just arrived at the Warden hotel in Newark with the company and was about to enter the office, when she mistook the door, walked into an elevator shaft, and fell fifteen feet to the basement. She was brought to Chicago, arriving at the hospital on New Year's day. She was 30 years old. Her mother, Mrs. Henrietta Meyer, is director of vocal music at St. Mary's seminary at Knoxville.

To Discuss Iroquois Hospital Plans.

Directors of the Iroquois Memorial association will meet at the association headquarters, 180 La Salle street, on Jan. 10 to discuss plans for the Iroquois Memorial hospital, which is to be established in the downtown district. A members' meeting will be held in Willard hall on Jan. 17.

ARRESTED FOR DESERTING WIFE MARRIED IN SECRET.

Fred C. Hebard, Who Wedded Miss Eleanor Devereux at St. Joe, Taken to Police Station.

The romance of Fred C. Hebard and Miss Eleanor Devereux, 430 North State street, who were married secretly last June at St. Joe, Mich., culminated yesterday afternoon by the husband being arrested at the Sherman house, where he is living temporarily, on a warrant sworn out by the wife, alleging abandonment. He was detained at the Chicago avenue police station for several hours while securing bondsmen.

Mrs. Hebard's action, it was intimated, was taken at the instance of Walter S. Devereux, a brother. She at first denied getting the warrant.

Hebard is an electrical engineer. He met Miss Devereux at an electrical engineers' banquet four years ago. They became engaged, but owing to some business losses by Hebard they decided to postpone telling friends until more prosperous days should come. Later they decided to marry and keep the fact secret until financial affairs mended.

Mrs. Hebard became impatient over the delay in the latter part of August and made a public announcement of her marriage. A scene followed which led to an estrangement. The wife brought the matter to the attention of Hebard's employers and he resigned his place and went south to look for a location. He returned to Chicago on Sunday to settle up his affairs. He had arranged to meet his wife today and make an amicable settlement of their marital difficulties.

LEAPS FROM BUSY BRIDGE TO DEATH IN THE RIVER.

Unknown Man Jumps Over Rail at Adams Street—Body Seen Later, but Not Recovered.

While hundreds of persons were crossing the Adams street bridge on the way to their homes at 6 o'clock last evening, a man calmly climbed to the top of the railing on the south side of the bridge and threw himself to the water, thirty feet below. Those looking on hardly realized that a tragedy was being enacted until they heard the splash of the body as it struck the water and the cries of the man as he struggled among the cakes of ice which floated all around him in the stream.

Mrs. P. Avery, 664 East Sixty-third street, who was on the bridge, said the man was of medium size, apparently 40 years of age, smooth shaven, and bald. Others said the man struggled in the water, clinging to a cake of ice until carried out of sight by the current. At the Jackson street bridge the body was seen to float under that structure.

Policeman Patrick Lavin at the Union Passenger station notified the police at the Central station and a patrol wagon was sent to the Harrison street bridge. The policemen arrived too late, as the floating body was seen to pass that point before they came.

FINDS IT DIFFICULT TO DIE.

Fourth Attempt Within Three Months of Emil Schuman to Commit Suicide Frustrated by Detective.

For the fourth time in less than three months Emil Schuman, 45 years old, 1125 Milwaukee avenue, a printer, out of employment, attempted suicide in Union park last evening by drinking a mixture of powdered lye.

A woman called Detective Kilcrane's attentions to the man's strange actions, but before Kilcrane had time to seize the bottle Schuman had swallowed the greater portion of its contents.

Tobias Highus, 20 years old, attempted suicide at his residence, 643 West Forty-third street. He first cut himself several times about the face and throat and then plunged a knife four times into his chest. He was taken to a private hospital at Sixty-fourth street and Harvard avenue. It is said he has a good chance to recover.

STEAD WRITES TO W. C. T. U.

Replies to Hint of Cook County President, Mrs. Hill, That His Opinion Is Insincere.

Mrs. Emily L. Hill, president of the Cook County W. C. T. U., in a communication addressed to Gov. Deneen, has used language which is construed at Springfield as a reflection upon the sincerity of the attorney general regarding the interpretation of the law relative to the powers of the governor in the matter of enforcing the Sunday saloon closing act. As a result, Attorney General Stead, to whom the communication was referred, has written to Mrs. Hill, reiterating his former opinion that the executive has no power to interfere in matters of this sort; that the enforcement of such laws rests solely with the local authorities under the constitution of Illinois.

SAYS PHOTOS CARICATURE HER.

Mrs. Eva Cabell of Evanston Contests H. C. Hines' Suit to Collect $8.

Saying that the photographs made her arm "look like a stovepipe," Mrs. Eva Cabell told Justice Boyer she refused to accept the pictures or to pay H. C. Hines, a photographer, $8. The photographs were ordered some time ago, and Mrs. Cabell had made a deposit of $5. The proofs failed to satisfy her and she demanded that Hines return the amount of deposit. This the photographer refused to do, and Mrs. Cabell refused to accept other pictures which had been ordered, and Hines brought suit for $8, the remainder of the bill. Justice Boyer took the case under advisement.

FINDS MISSING HUSBAND DEAD.

Mrs. Carl Graubitz Identifies Body of Man Who Apparently Was Killed by a Fall.

Mrs. Carl Graubitz, 215 Washburn avenue, identified yesterday the body of the man found Sunday morning at Archer avenue and Mary street with his skull fractured, who died at the People's hospital Sunday afternoon, as her husband.

Graubitz was a laborer. When he was found by a pedestrian he declared a fall had caused his injury, but others voiced the belief that he had been assaulted.

The police adhere to their belief that Graubitz was killed by a fall, his body having been found beneath a sidewalk which is seven feet above the ground.

POINTS OUT USES OF CANAL POWER.

Report to Council Says Light City, Run Street Cars, Pumps, and Bridges.

WORTH MUCH TO CHICAGO.

Engineers Show That Over 20,000 Horse Units Soon Will Be Available.

The possibilities of the utilization of water power from the sanitary district for street lighting, pumping, and other municipal utilities were made the subject last night of a special report to the city council. The report, made by a special commission, bore the approval of Commissioner of Public Works Patterson.

It is estimated that there will be delivered to the proposed terminal station to be located at Forty-eighth avenue and the drainage canal around 15,000 horse power, part of which will be available Jan. 1, 1907.

This will be increased to 21,000 or 22,000 horse power after the proposed Calumet district channel shall have been completed, which will take a number of years.

In addition to electric street lighting and sewer pumping stations it is proposed to use the power for water works, bridges, and street railways when municipally operated.

Could Light All Chicago.

The report states that there are around 6,700 electric street lamps in Chicago, and as soon as necessary power is obtained it is contemplated to place a lamp at practically every street intersection and in the middle of long blocks. This would add around 22,000 lamps, making a total of 29,000 lamps.

To supply this number of lights 21,000 horse power for an average of eleven hours a day would be required, consuming all the ultimate power to be developed.

Stress is laid in the report on the necessity for providing for the use of the power when it is not required for lighting purposes, in order to reduce its cost. Considering the water works system, the commission figures that electrically driven pumps would require 14,000 horse power at the time of the maximum pumpage. The minimum power, it is estimated, would be 13,000. It will be necessary, however, in the engineers' opinion, to install entirely new plants, with modern turbine pumps, as it is impracticable to apply electrical power to the present engines.

Power Must Be Constant.

Attention is called to the fact that the power for water works must be constant and absolutely reliable, as failure of the power at any time would involve the city in great difficulties. On this point it is said:

"It is almost certain that at times there will be unavoidable shutting down of the power plant, caused by anchor ice, accidents to the power house, to the transmission lines, or from other causes."

The report gives a list of the several sewage pumping stations, with the amount of horse power required for each, running from 16 up to 300 for the Jackson park station.

On the subject of bridges it says:

"There are fifty movable municipal bridges in the city, all of which eventually will be electrically operated. The average maximum power required for each bridge, including light, signals, pumps, and operation, is 125 horse power."

For Running Street Cars.

Concerning the operation of street cars by power from the canal, the report says:

"The pending ordinances call for 1,582 double truck cars and 851 single truck cars to be in use within a period of three years. Allowing for a certain proportion of these cars to be out of service and undergoing repairs there would be required 95,000 horse power.

"All the power that can be developed at both the power plants that the sanitary district proposes to install can be utilized for nineteen or twenty hours out of twenty-four. The surplus power developed during the remaining four or five hours could be stored."

Summary of the Report.

The report concludes:

"Assuming that the power from the proposed water power plant will be obtained at a price that will bring the cost below that of power generated by steam driven plants and sufficient funds for necessary installations are appropriated, we beg to emphasize the following:

"First—The most desirable use for municipal purposes of the power now being developed at Lockport would be for the operation of municipal street railways, which can use all the power that the sanitary district can furnish for twenty-four hours each day.

"Second—For the lighting of the city's streets and municipal buildings, provided a disposition can be made of the power during such hours when lighting is not required. This may be done if the city is given the right to dispose of power for commercial purposes during the day.

"Third—Sewage pumping stations, bridges, and other minor utilities may be equipped for electrical operation, but would not to any appreciable extent serve to utilize during the day time the released power used for electric lighting during the night."

The report is signed by John Ericson, consulting engineer; William Carroll, city electrician; and Commissioner Patterson.

GOLD OUTPUT GAINS $6,000,000

Estimate of Director of Mint Shows Alaska's Share of Total Is $14,650,000.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 2.—The preliminary estimate of the director of the mint upon the production of gold and silver in the United States in the calendar year 1905 shows a gain of approximately $6,000,000 in gold and 1,000,000 ounces of silver over the product of 1904. The gain in gold is almost entirely represented by the increased output of Alaska, the product of which is placed at $14,650,100, against $9,160,500 in 1904. The Alaska gain is nearly all in the Tanana or Fairbanks district, the returns for which are $5,107,000.

California shows a loss of about $1,500,000, due, it is said, to severe drought, which not only brought hydraulic operations to a standstill but interfered with quartz mills to some extent. Nevada shows a gain of about $400,000 and Utah as much. Colorado gains about $1,000,000; South Dakota, Montana, Idaho, Oregon, and Arizona are estimated as about the same as in the previous year.

The Klondike continues to fall off and is about $2,000,000 below 1904.

NO ROOSEVELT HINTS GIVEN.

President Indicates That Reports of Views on British Politics Are Erroneous.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 2.—A statement in cable dispatches from London that President Roosevelt has expressed "his hearty sympathy" with the liberal party in Great Britain induces no direct statement from the president. While the president probably received D. N. Mason, the candidate for the British parliament, who referred to his "friendly interview" with the president, no recollection of Mr. Mason's call is entertained by either the president or officials at the White house. The president makes it plain, however, that he gave to nobody an expression of sympathy with any political party of Great Britain or with the candidates of any party.

CONVENTION OF Y. W. C. A. TODAY

Association Affiliated with the American Committee to Meet in Hyde Park Church.

A special convention of the Young Woman's Christian association, which is affiliated with the American committee, will be held today and tomorrow in the Hyde Park Presbyterian church to discuss the advantages of united work among the various associations throughout the country.

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DRAINAGE CASE IS DRAWING TO CLOSE

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tive effect of the opening of the drainage canal upon the health of the city of St. Louis, which is taken as a type of cities in the state for which the state of Missouri is pleading to have the Chicago drainage canal stopped up by absolute order of the United States Supreme court.

Mr. Jeffries attempted to show by various census records that the population of the Illinois valley which fairly could be said to dispose of its sewage in such a way as possibly to pollute the Mississippi waters was at the outset only about 300,000. When the drainage canal was opened he insisted that there was an addition to the polluting population of fully 2,000,000 people. This made a total of 2,300,000 people whose general sewage was disposed of through the Illinois river and thence into the Mississippi in such a way as to pollute the drinking supply of St. Louis and other Missouri cities.

He presented figures showing a large increase in typhoid fever cases in St. Louis, which were reported at 131 in the year 1899, prior to the opening of the drainage canal, and which had grown to 288 in 1903. This is the basis of action, although in point of fact the suit against the sanitary district was begun within four or five days after the canal was opened, and this class of evidence is entirely supplemental to the original charge, which was based, of course, on theory.

Do Germs Live Long Enough?

Mr. Jeffries also devoted a good deal of time to the general principles of bacteriology, insisting typhoid fever germs could and did live for eighteen days, and more especially since water from the drainage canal carried them rapidly through the Illinois river, which formerly was more or less stagnant, thus allowing time for their destruction by operation of other minute organisms.

James Todd, solicitor for the sanitary district of Chicago, had scarcely time to begin his argument before the court adjourned, and he will conclude the first thing tomorrow afternoon. He attacked the typhoid fever statistics of the city of St. Louis and insisted that they had been juggled for the express purpose of influencing this case.

He suggested that before the drainage canal was opened and before there was any necessity for attacking th city of Chicago, the people of St. Louis through their health department did exactly as is done in every other large city. That is to say, they classified different fevers as they would any other diseases, and only put into the typhoid column cases which properly belonged there. Since the canal was opened, he asserted, the St. Louis people maliciously have grouped together all sorts of fever cases and classified them as typhoid so as to make as bad a showing as possible for the city of Chicago.

Pretty Fight On Today.

Mr. Todd was beginning to show the great number of deaths reported on the Missouri and Mississippi water sheds above St. Louis and the consequent certainty of the pollution of the water originally from that source when he was interrupted by the adjournment of the court.

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NEW TRIAL FOR PEORIA GAS CASE.

Supreme Court Holds Judge Humphrey Did Not Pass on Right Points.

IGNORES CHICAGO ISSUES.

Questions of Validity of Ordinance and Justice of Rate Left Open.

The Supreme court of the United States handed down its decision in the Peoria gas case yesterday in Washington but without deciding any of the essential questions in the issue of which Chicago is as vitally interested as Peoria.

The decision did not touch on the validity of a rate fixing ordinance passed by a city council without a specific grant of authority from the legislature.

It did not pass on the question of whether seventy-five cents—the rate fixed by the Peoria ordinance—was fair or amounted to confiscation of property, although holding that this was the principal question to be determined.

It merely found that Judge J. Otis Humphrey, who entered the decrees in the Northern Illinois district court which dissolved the injunction obtained by the Peoria company to prevent enforcement of the ordinance, had not tried the case properly when it came before him.

What Judge Humphrey Must Do.

The decree was that the decision of Judge Humphrey was overruled and the case should go back to him for a new trial. He is ordered to undertake to ascertain, either by appointing a special commissioner or in his court, how long an illegal combination existed between the two Peoria companies, what its terms were, and how far it was acted on by them.

Although the decision did not take up the fairness of the 75 cent rate it held, by inference at least, that this was the one important feature of the case, and it ordered that, aside from investigating the terms of the contract between the two companies, Judge Humphrey should take up the commissioner's report treating of this subject, and should ascertain what would be a fair price.

At no place in the decision is any attention given to the question of authority. There is no ruling which could be interpreted in the Chicago gas case, which runs parallel to the Peoria case in that it concerns an ordinance passed by the city council before authority had been granted by the legislature, and fixing the price of gas at seventy-five cents.

Both these questions of import in the Chicago case are left open and the Peoria case goes back to the United States district court of the Northern Illinois district because it was not properly tried.

Decision That Is Reversed.

Judge Humphrey, without taking up the evidence relating to gas rates which had been gathered by a special commissioner, held that the two Peoria companies had violated the Illinois antitrust act in forming a combination to regulate prices, and,in deciding so, threw the whole case out of court.

The Supreme court holds that Judge Humphrey did wrong in ignoring the commissioner's report and the question of rates, holding at the same time that the evidence did not show how long the two companies had been in violation of the Illinois antitrust law.

It found evidence to show that the prices of gas in Peoria were changed five months after the combination was entered into, and that for months thereafter one company was charging one rate and the other another. It declared that the penalties of the anti-trust law could operate against the companies only so long as they were in violation of it.

Illinois Anti-Trust Law.

The decision was delivered by Justice Brewer. After the action of the district court in disposing summarily of the commissioner's report and the question of rates has been considered and the application of the Illinois anti-trust law to the case treated, the opinion continues:

"Although the stringent provisions of the Illinois anti-trust law may apply to the case of an agreement between two gas companies fixing the price of gas, and although while the parties are proceeding under it any party receiving gas may avoid payment on that ground, and the city may likewise be upheld in an ordinance establishing maximum rates which are unremunerative, yet the making of such an agreement does not subject the companies to a perpetual penalty. Parties making an agreement, unlawful by the anti-trust act, may, while the agreement is in force, be subject to its penalties, but whenever they cease to act under it the penalties also cease. The punishment adheres to the offense and stops when the offense itself stops.

Prices Changed in Five Months.

"Now it is in evidence that the prices were changed by the old company on Jan. 1, 1901—five months after the alleged agreement for a uniform rate—and that for months thereafter each company was charging a different rate, but the decree was one of absolute dismissal—an adjudication that the ordinance of September was valid—an adjudication which became res judicata for all future litigation, and this, in the face of the finding by the commissioner, undisturbed by the court, that the rates established by it are unremunerative, and thus working a gradual confiscation of the property belonging to the plaintiff.

"We think that under the circumstances the decree should be reversed and the case remanded, with instructions either to refer it to a commissioner for further findings and testimony, if that be deemed necessary, showing the terms and duration of the alleged agreement between the two companies, and how far it was acted upon by them, or that the court should itself undertake this investigation and make like findings."

Long Fight in Peoria.

The fight of the city of Peoria against the gas company has been on for five years, the two companies originally having been the Peoria Gaslight and Coke company and the Peoria Gas and Electric company. The ordinance making 75 cents a maximum rate to be charged for gas in the city of Peoria was passed Sept. 4, 1900. Before the ordinance was enforced the companies consolidated and obtained an injunction before Judge Kohlsaat in Chicago. The case was postponed for some time when I. C. Pinckney was appointed special master in chancery to take evidence.

Evidence was taken in Peoria, Chicago, Kansas City, St. Paul, Minneapolis, Duluth, and Syracuse. Every gas concern in the United States was interested in the suit. According to the evidence the cost to manufacture and distribute gas was a trifle over 79 cents. The only material evidence the city could present against this was that of an engineer from Syracuse, N. Y., who demonstrated that gas could be manufactured at a cost of 32 cents a thousand feet.

Master Against City.

The report of Master Pinckney was against the city in every particular. He held in substance that the enforcement of the 75 cent ordinance would amount practically to confiscation, and that the ordinance was void.

The city filed objections to the report. To the surprise of the attorneys on both sides, Judge Humphrey took little time to consider the report. He did not enter into the merits of the case at all. He held that the two companies had entered into an unlawful combination in order to control prices. Holding that the company did not come into court with clean hands, he ordered the injunction dissolved.

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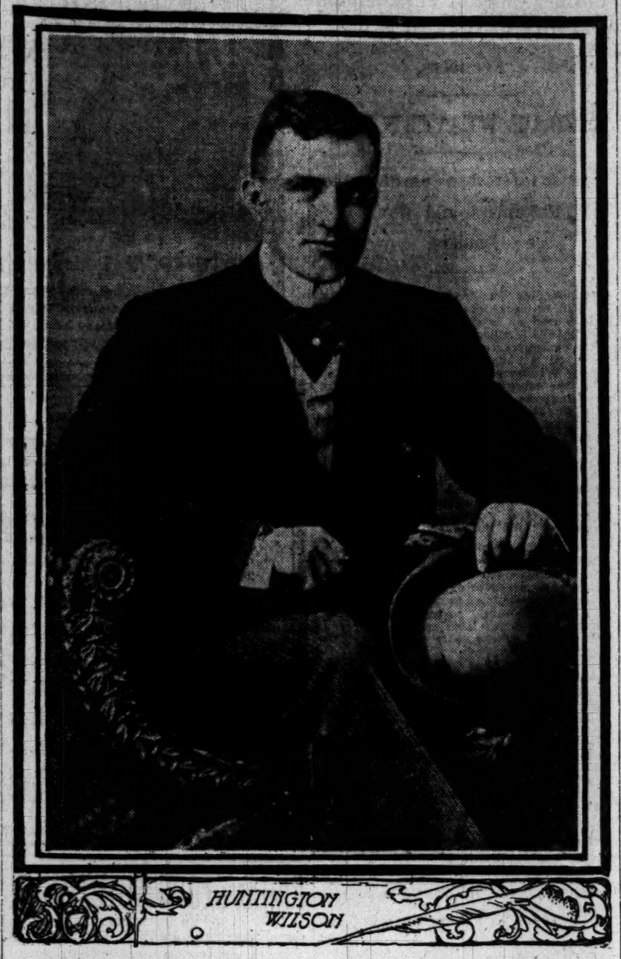

HUNTINGTON WILSON

Announcement was made by the state department at Washington yesterday that Huntington Wilson of Chicago, first secretary of the United States embassy at Tokio, Japan, had been chosen to succeed H. H. D. Peirce as third assistant secretary of state. Mr. Wilson was born in Chicago and was graduated from Yale in the class of 1897. He was appointed under secretary at Tokio by President McKinley. He served several times as chargé d'affaires and has shown ability as a diplomat. He is a member of the Chicago Golf club and the University club. Irvin B. Loughlin, second secretary of legation at Tokio, will succeed him as first secretary.

TRACTION DEBATE SET FOR FRIDAY.

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"That is the understanding of the resolution before the council."

Then the resolution was adopted, 66 to 2, Ald. Cullerton and Moynihan forming the minority.

Ald. McCormick [21], as chairman of the committee on rules, then sent up two ordinances amending the rules. One provided that the sessions of the committee of the whole be open and the other a roll call be had on all questions on the demand of "one or more aldermen." This was amended to read "five or more aldermen," and Ald. Moynihan's motion to make it three was defeated on a vive voce vote, the mayor deciding it.

Form of Traction Ballot.

Ald. Werno sent in the report of the committee on local transportation recommending the form in which the alternate questions be placed on the referendum ballot next spring. It asks these two propositions be submitted to the people:

1. Shall the city council pass the pending ordinances, recommended by the committee on local transportation, settling the existing differences between the city of Chicago and the Chicago City Railway company, West Chicago Street Railroad company, and North Chicago Street Railroad company, and unifying the street railway service of said corporations in the south, west, and north divisions of the city?

2. Shall the city council pass the ordinance introduced by Mayor Dunne on Nov. 13, 1905, authorizing the city to issue $75,000,000 of street railway certificates "for the purpose of acquiring street railways either by purchase, construction, condemnation, or otherwise;" and the ordinance introduced by Mayor Dunne on said date, 'authorizing the city to proceed "to operate street railways."

Special Orders Are Set.

On top of this Ald. Hunter called up his resolution which provides that the aldermen shall circulate and secure signatures to the petitions necessary to get the questions on "little ballot."

Ald. Kohout had an amendment to this. It was a complicated affair, but the substance was that nothing be done until after the council has passed the mayor's $75,000,000 Mueller certificate ordinance, the point made being that the council could get this ordinance on the ballot without any petition by simply approving it.

As the report of the committee on local transportation as to the form of the questions had, under the rules, to be published and deferred, it and the Hunter resolution and the Kohout amendment were all made a special order for next Monday evening.

Would Change Motive Power.

The resolution of Ald. Potter, seeking to have the Illinois Central road change its suburban motive power from steam to electricity attracted attention as coming from a man who is well posted on transportation matters. It was sent to the committee on local transportation. The resolution follows:

Whereas, The right of way of the Illinois Central railway within the city limits traverses almost exclusively a residence district; and

Whereas, This railroad operates an unusually large number of trains per day by reason of its extensive suburban service; and

Whereas, The people of Chicago are constructing at large expense an extensive park along the lake front between Twelfth and Randolph streets, which park is to contain the Field museum and the Crerar library, with their valuable collections; and,

Whereas, The noise and smoke of the locomotives of said railway are an intolerable nuisance to the residents along its right of way, and the smoke and dirt are most destructive to personal and public property and will be most destructive to the valuable collections of the Field museum and the Crerar library, and to the lawns, shrubs, and trees of the Lake Front park; and

Whereas, It has been amply demonstrated that electricity is a practicable and economical motive power for the operation of railways, as is witnessed by the elevated roads of this city and great numbers of interurban railways, and notably by its adoption by the New York Central and Pennsylvania railways for their New York City terminals; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That on and after three years from the date of the adoption of this resolution the use of steam locomotives shall be forbidden to the Illinois Central railway within the limits of the city of Chicago, or to any railway using the right of way and terminals of the Illinois Central railway within the limits of the city of Chicago; and be it further

Resolved, That the committee on local transportation be and it is hereby required to prepare an ordinance and submit same to this council requiring the Illinois Central railway to conform to the terms of this resolution.

Smoke Ordinance Amended.

The mayor vetoed the new smoke ordinance so as to allow of an amendment providing that no stack shall be allowed to smoke for longer than six minutes in any one hour. It was repassed as amended.

Ald. Pringle proposed a plan for utilizing 300 feet of lake frontage the city owns at Thirty-ninth street, as a result of the building of the sewer pumping station there, for a bathing beach. It was sent to the committee on small parks.

Ald. Coughlin introduced a resolution in memory of Judge Murray F. Tuley, praising his work as an alderman and corporation counsel. It was adopted by a rising vote.

Ald. Cullerton had adopted a resolution calling for a special committee of five to investigate a remark credited to Assistant Corporation Counsel T. J. Sutherland that $5,000,000 has been stolen from the city in claims for extras made by contractors. "If the statement is true, the city should get the money back," read the resolution.

For General Referendum.

Ald. Cullerton introduced a proposed form of charter for Chicago, which was sent to the committee on state legislation. Its novel features were a provision for a binding referendum on all ordinances on a petition of 10,000 voters, and the ability of the voters of any division of the city to oust an elective officer on a "recall" signed by a majority of the voters.

The mayor failed to make his expected appointments. He is looking for a man for the place of Track Elevation Expert John O'Neill, and the report yesterday was he is thinking of reconsidering the removing of Building Commissioner Williams at the present time.

REFORMS THE CITY MAP BUREAU

John D. Riley, New Superintendent, Posts Rules Requiring Full Time and Diligence from All Employes.

John D. Riley, who was appointed superintendent of the city map bureau yesterday by the commissioner of public works, to succeed Charles J. Buhmann, resigned, promptly drew up and posted the following dules for his staff:

"All employés to be at their desks not later than 9 a. m., and to remain on duty until 5 p. m., with an hour for lunch. Register on the time clock as per instructions. Tardiness will not be tolerated and no loafing will be allowed.

"The practice heretofore indulged in of closing atlases five or ten minutes before 5 in order to get out of the office at 5 o'clock sharp must be discontinued.

"Under no circumstances shall an employé absent himself from work without permission; in case of sickness a doctor's certificate must be presented. Upon the failure of an employé to do this his pay will be stopped.

"The public must be treated with courtesy and any information that can be given consistently must be furnished promptly and willingly.

"Petty quarrels and jealousies between the employés will not be tolerated. Every man is expected to coöperate and lend his best efforts towards carrying out the work of this bureau.

"JOHN D. RILEY, Superintendent."

Riley is a sixty day appointee and was recommended by Bridge Engineer Philpheldt as being the best man in the department. He has asked for a civil service examination to clinch his position.

OFFER TO COMMISSION MEN.

Ald. Snow Proposes Compensation for Subsidewalk Space in Return for Occupation of Surface.

If the South Water street merchants will pay compensation for the use of subsidewalk space the city will create a public market in the street and permit the occupation of the sidewalks. This was the ultimatum given yesterday by Ald. Snow, chairman of the council compensation committee, to a committee representing the merchants. William Wagner of the committee did not think the merchants would agree to this.

The controversy over the appointment of Richard J. Finn to succeed Francis X. Busch as attorney for the civil service commission was ended in the afternoon, when Mr. Finn took his place at the desk and Mr. Busch stepped out of the office. Mr. Finn will also retain his private practice.

By an opinion given by Corporation Counsel Lewis the benefit of the doubt is given to a political adherent of James Aloysius Quinn in the Twenty-first ward. Joseph Gallery, 246 Chicago avenue, will be reinstated as a bondsman at the Chicago avenue station.

Building Commissioner Williams and Ald. Jones of the council building committee inspected the revolving doors in the department stores to determine if they come within the city ordinances.

LEWIS YIELDS TO HANDY ASSISTANT

Corporation Counsel Is Convinced Mayor Can Name Merit Board Secretary.

GIVES A 3 PAGE OPINION.

Diligent Search Rewarded and Attorney Rushes to His Stenographer.

After diligent effort Corporation Counsel James Hamilton Lewis has succeeded in getting himself convinced by his assistants that the mayor has the power to appoint a secretary for the civil service board. Mr. Lewis had some trouble, but he stuck to it, and after several failures his perseverance was rewarded.

As a result of the earnestness with which he sought to be convinced by the assistant corporation counsels, Mr. Lewis was able yesterday to give three typewritten pages setting forth his opinion that the law not only permits but demands that the mayor appoint the secretary.

In quest of an assistant to convince him of this, Mr. Lewis sought first Mr. Maclay Hoyne. Mr. Hoyne was discouragingly obtuse and far from convincing Mr. Lewis that the mayor should appoint, tried to convince him that he could not. As soon as Mr. Lewis could dodge this unwelcome opinion he said "skidoo" to Mr. Hoyne and approached Mr. John W. Beckwith.

Meets with Second Rebuff.

Mr. Beckwith had no more tact than Mr. Maclay Hoyne. He started to inform Mr. Lewis that the mayor could not appoint and Mr. Lewis side stepped gracefully and said it was a mistake. It was not this question he wished to bring up with Mr. Beckwith, but another, which he could not think of for the time being.

Then Mr. Lewis, not discouraged, but made wiser by these two unfortunate experiences, looked over his list of assistants to ascertain if possible if among them he did not possess a Daniel. Intuition led him to believe that Mr. Leon Hornstein was ripe in legal attainments. Mr. Hornstein was summoned.

He said he believed the mayor had the right to appoint. This was enough for Mr. Lewis. He did not give Mr. Hornstein time to change his mind. He hastily summoned a "typist" and set about dictating immediately the three pages of opinion afterward handed to the mayor.

Points in the Opinion.

In this he said, among other things:

"I beg to say that in this opinion I carry in mind your often expressed desires that whenever the law discloses a matter of doubt the doubt shall be resolved in favor of an enforcement of the civil service policy. Notwithstanding these views and my desire to conform to your wishes giving the civil service commission as frequent and as many opportunities as possible, nevertheless I am constrained to advise you:

"a—That it is not within the powers of the commission to make the appointment.

"b—That it is not in the power of the commission to hold an examination for the appointment.

"c—That under the law only the mayor can name the position as a direct executive appointment."

TAX DISTRIBUTION RATE FIXED BY COUNTY CLERK.

Mr. Olsen Announces the Share of Money to Be Paid to Each Fund Receiving This Support.

County Clerk Olsen announced yesterday that the rate for the distribution of the taxes for 1905 has been completed. His figures show the rates on each $100 of assessed value to be: State tax, 50 cents; county, 76.2 cents; city, $1.80; library, 6.4 cents; sanitary district, 47.5 cents; board of education, school fund, $1.604; board of education, building fund, 66.1 cents; sanitary district, water power, 25 cents; total, $6.116.

In the different towns there are additional taxes for park purposes, the rate in each being as follows:

WEST CHICAGO.	
State, city taxes, etc.	$6.116
West park	.811
Town of West Chicago bonds	.056
Total	$6.983
NORTH CHICAGO AND LAKE VIEW.	
State tax, etc.	$6.116
Lincoln park	.867
Total	$6.983
SOUTH CHICAGO AND HYDE PARK.	
State tax, etc.	$6.116
South park	.68
Total	$6.796
LAKE.	
State tax, etc.	$6.116
South park	.68
Town tax	.10
Total	$6.896

The totals each of the public corporations will receive will be determined today.

CRANE ENGINEER MUST WATCH.

Federal Court of Appeals Sustains $7,000 Damage Verdict Against the Allis-Chalmers Company.

Judges Grosscup, Baker, and Seaman of the United States Circuit Court of Appeals yesterday sustained the verdict of $7,000 which Eugene Reilly secured in a lower court in a suit against the Allis-Chalmers company.

When working on a building Reilly was struck by a traveling crane and severely injured. He was walking on the track of the crane when he was struck. The court of appeals judges in passing on the duties of a crane engineer said:

"The engineer of a crane running upon a track upon which others are licensed to walk or work is under obligation to keep a lookout that is without interruption. His position in that respect is like that of an engineer of a locomotive in respect to persons licensed to be upon the railway tracks."

BREAKS ARM, BUT SKATES ON.

Jessie Eckersall, Sister of Football Player, Finds in Evening She Has Sustained Compound Fracture.

Miss Jessie Eckersall, sister of Walter Eckersall, captain of the University of Chicago football team, sustained a double fracture of one of the bones in her forearm as a result of a fall while skating on the Midway yesterday afternoon. After her fall she declared she was little injured, and kept on skating for the remainder of the afternoon. When examined by a physician later it was found that she was suffering from a compound fracture.

WAIT FOR DALRYMPLE LETTER.

Ald. Young and City Clerk Anson Watch Every Mail, but Fail to Receive It.

After watching every mail, Ald. Young and City Clerk Anson gave up hopes of receiving the Dalrymple report yesterday shortly before the council meeting. It is not expected now that the document will reach Chicago for several days, until after another English mail arrives at New York.

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Gridiron Romance; Wedding to Come

MISS LILLIAN STEPHENSON

CHARLES F. KENNEDY

A romance begun at a football game on Marshall field two years ago came to light yesterday in the announcement of the engagement of Charles F. Kennedy to Miss Lillian Stephenson, both former students at the University of Chicago. Kennedy was the right end of the Chicago team during the season of 1904. He was expected to return to the university last fall and play on the team, but finally refused, saying he was eager to get a start in business. Miss Stephenson is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward M. Stephenson, 5475 Madison avenue. She is a member of the Sigma club, was a university aid, and belonged to several honor societies. Mr. Kennedy is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Kennedy, 553 West Sixty-first street.

PLANS FOR PARTY PEACE.

REPUBLICAN LEADERS APPOINT HARMONY COMMITTEE.

Members Will Attempt to Conciliate Factions in the Second and Thirteenth Ward Clubs and Avert the Bitterness of Formal Contests Before the Executive Body—Lorimer Agrees to the Delay, Which Is Decided On After Long Debate.

A "harmony committee" was appointed yesterday by the republican executive committee after the Second and Thirteenth ward club contests had been discussed for an hour. This committee, consisting of John Hanberg, James Reddick, and Ernest Magerstadt, is to endeavor to conciliate the factions in the two wards. If this attempt fails the contests will be taken up by the executive committee on Feb. 6.

When the committee met in the afternoon it was feared that the Thirteenth ward fight, in which John V. Kopf was killed, would produce trouble. When the committee took the subject up Fred Busse proposed that the matter go over for thirty days. William Lorimer objected at once, insisting that the republicans in the Thirteenth ward had a right to demand that the case be settled at once.

Both Factions to Be Heard.

It was suggested, after an hour of debate, that a committee be appointed in an attempt to harmonize things in the two wards without hearing a contest. Mr. Lorimer agreed to this, and after considerable more debate the men to constitute it were agreed on. The subcommittee decided to ask the factions in both wards to send three representatives to headquarters on Jan. 16 to talk the matter over with the "harmonizers."

It is predicted that neither case will reach a hearing, although both the Hamill and Hanecy factions in the Second ward, and the Jackman and Blount factions in the Thirteenth, have insisted from the start that they would not submit to a compromise, being especially energetic in saying they would not submit to another election.

Deneen Men in Majority.

When the executive committee took up the question there were present John J. Hanberg, Martin B. Madden, State Senator Daniel Campbell, Fred Busse, Charles Vail, John Linn, James Reddick, James Pease, Noble B. Judah, Ernest Magerstadt, John Cooke, and William Lorimer. The Deneen organization could have outvoted the Lorimer people if the issues had reached this stage.

Six representatives from the Hanecy and six from the Blount faction were at the headquarters during the discussion. The Hamill faction was represented by William Fraats and Edward Berry, and the Jackman faction by Mr. Jackman, Frank L. Woods, Fred E. Coyne, and Howard Leach.

PRIMARY PLANS ARE DISCUSSED.

All the Aldermanic Candidates Must File Their Petitions by January 29.

FEW ANNOUNCED SO FAR.

Mayor Dunne Will Endeavor to Get Many I. M. O. Champions in the Field.

All aldermanic candidates who want their names on the primary ballots in February must file their petitions with the county clerk by Jan. 29. These petitions must contain the signatures of one-fifth of the party vote in the different wards.

The necessity for immediate action was discussed yesterday at the meeting of the republican executive committee and of the democratic county central committee. The republican call for the aldermanic primaries and convention will be issued Jan. 27.

With this short time remaining for the preliminary work it is certain that all who want to be regular candidates for the council will be out in the open in a few days. Independent nominations can be made by petition as late as March 9, but the "dead line" for regular candidates will be Jan. 29.

In spite of the interest which will center in the aldermanic elections this spring there are few candidates known as yet. By the end of this week it is expected that there will be many more.

There is some talk in the First ward of putting up a fight against Ald. John Coughlin, but the opposition has not progressed far enough yet to indicate whether it will be made by a regular republican nominee or by an independent. It is said that Charles Gunther will be asked to run against Coughlin.

New Law Hampers I. M. O. People.

Mayor Dunne has announced that he will endeavor to have a municipal ownership candidate in every ward. If he fails to get the right kind of a man by means of the party nominations he will urge independents to run.

By the terms of the new law a voter who has signed a petition to put the name of a regular candidate on a party primary ticket or who has voted in a party primary is barred from signing the petition of an independent. This makes it impossible for the municipal ownership people to vote in the regular democratic primaries in an effort to get municipal ownership candidates and afterwards sign nominating papers for independents. The people who put out the independents will have to stay away from the primaries.

A month after the republican organization had begun to get the consents of property owners and tenants for the rental of primary polling places the democratic committee has adopted the same procedure. The republicans have completed their work, and, as a result, have first choice of the polling places.

Lahiff Is Seriously Ill.

On the recommendation of the democratic executive committee the county committee elected Frank W. Solon temporary secretary to act during the illness of Edward M. Lahiff, who now is in St. Joseph's hospital. His illness already has covered a period of about six weeks, and his friends report his condition to be far from good.

A committee consisting of James J. Gray, James F. Bowers, J. J. Hayes, William Rothman, Michael McInerney, Thomas Carey, and Silas Leachman was appointed to draw up resolutions formally expressing the sentiments of the democratic organization regarding the late Judge Murray F. Tuley. The action was taken on motion of Mr. Gray.

Harry Gibbons, democratic candidate for nomination as sheriff, was notified by letter that the Twenty-second ward democratic organization, at a meeting held on Sunday, indorsed him for that office.

The democratic executive committee took up the question of aldermanic primaries, hoping, as several speakers expressed it, to make things interesting for immediate municipal ownership by redistricting the primary districts of the various wards. Roger Sullivan made the executive committeemen a speech in which he asked for a united stand against the I. M. O. advocates.

CHICAGO ARTISTS' WORK SHOWN

Exhibited at Art Institute at Private Reception to Local Painters and Connoisseurs.

Nearly 200 Chicago artists and connoisseurs attended the reception at the Art institute last evening at which the work of Chicago painters was exhibited. With the work of the local artists were exhibited also a number of paintings of the Glasgow school.

Frederick W. Freer, who exhibited a number of portraits and landscapes, was born in Chicago and received his art education at Munich. He has been represented at the National Academy of Design, the Boston Art club, and in numerous Paris salons.

The work of Belle Silveira attracted much attention. She is at present a resident of Highland Park.

Alson Skinner Clark, another Chicago artist, exhibited studies of still life and landscapes in Paris, Brittany, and Venice.

Herbert W. Faulkner exhibited a number of paintings of Venetian life.

HOLD UP 15 YEAR OLD GIRL.

Margaret O'Donohue, Returning from Work, Robbed by Two Men, One a Negro.

While returning from work Margaret O'Donohue, 254 Washington boulevard, a 15 year old girl employed by an afternoon newspaper, was attacked last night by two men in Sangamon street, near Madison, and roughly handled in their attempt to secure her purse, containing $4.

She was dragged into an alley and half choked, while one of her assailants, a negro, searched her and secured the money. She reported the affair to the Desplaines street police station.

This alley was the scene of a similar holdup New Year's night, in which two men robbed Joseph Sacher, 101 West Nineteenth street, of a pocketbook containing $38.

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Seven Young Athletes of Promise Register at University of Chicago.

STRENGTHEN ALL TEAMS.

New Men Possess Recognized Talent in Football, Baseball, and Track Sports.

University of Chicago athletic authorities made one of the richest hauls of prize athletes in the history of western athletics yesterday with the opening of the winter quarter.

Seven of the most talented men in this section of the country registered their names as students of the university, and in this septet Capt. Eckersall sees another championship football team next fall, Capt. Parry a winning track team, and Capt. Baird a victorious baseball nine.

The new acquisitions are Prince, formerly captain of the Shattuck Military academy, who weighs 210 pounds, and is declared to be a combination of a Slaker and a Bezdek; Taylor, who weighs 200 pounds, formerly a star all around athlete at Des Moines, and is a fullback strongly heralded; Maddigan, the 208 pound guard, and all around athlete from Englewood High school; Moody, a star baseball, football and track man from the University of Maine; Dickinson, a pitcher from Tafts; Comstock, a half miler from Princeton, formerly a star at Hyde Park high school; and Rudolph, a pole vaulter from Crown Point, Ind., an interscholastic champion.

All of Varsity Caliber.

Each of the seven men is regarded as a star of varsity caliber and sufficient to patch up the various teams for a row of championships. The announcement of their arrival came as a big surprise to many of the students, although it was said that in every instance the intention of entering the university had been made known to the university officials before last fall.

Prince is regarded as the most important acquisition. He seems to be slated for Bezdek's vacancy at full back. Those who have seen him in action declare he is the equal of Bezdek and will make the team "in a walk." Despite his great weight, he is fast, having a record of :10⅘ in the 100 yards.

Taylor is held to be a speedy, hard hitting line plunger—a fitting substitute for Bezdek. He possesses almost an ideal build, and in addition to being a talented football man he is a star on the track. His events are mostly with the weights.

Moody played second base at the University of Maine for two years. He also is said to be a fast man in football togs. He played left half and will be eligible for the maroon team next fall. He holds the Maine record in the 220 dash.

Pitches Shutout Against Yale.

Dickinson is regarded as a baseball find. He pitched for Tufts last spring and had the honor of shutting out Yale in the annual game between the two schools.

Rudolph is the interscholastic champion pole vaulter of Indiana and has a record of over eleven feet. Comstock is a two miler, half miler, and Maddigan is well known as an allround football, baseball, basketball, and track star.

Coming with the cheerful news to the Midway students also was the announcement that James Lightbody, the pale faced "deer-foot," had received a set back in his studies and may be kept out of the winter meets. He has been "conditioned" and will be forced to take an examination before he will be eligible. Lightbody believes he will have little difficulty in removing the "con."

PROGRAM FOR OLYMPIAN GAMES

Secretary Lambros Announces List of Events to Be Contested at the Athens Meet.

General Secretary Lambros of the Olympic games committee has forwarded to J. E. Sullivan of New York the official program of events to be contested at the next Olympian meet, to be held in Athens, Greece, beginning April 22 of this year.

The contests are subdivided under seven general heads, athletic sports, gymnastics, games, fencing, nautical sports, shooting and bicycle races. Under the first of these heads are included the usual track and field events, with several additions. The flat races will be at 100, 400, 800, and 1,500 meters, besides the Marathon race of 42 kilometers, to be run over the classic course from Marathon to Athens.

The hurdle race will be at 110 meters. The jumping events include standing broad, running broad, and high jumps, hop step and jump, and the pole vault. In addition there will be the pentathlum contest, weight lifting, tug of war, walking race, and running high jump.

Under gymnastics are included the gymnastic pentathlum and a tourney for gymnastic teams of eight competitors. The pentathlum contest will consist of five events, parallel bars, fixed horizontal bars, flying rings, vaulting horse, and combined broad and high jump without springboard. In the team contests the contestants are to be allowed their choice of exercises.

Under the division of games are included tennis, which is subdivided into men's singles and doubles, women's singles and mixed doubles, and an association football tourney. The fencing contests include foils, swords, and sabers, with international matches between teams of four in swords and sabers.

The nautical events include swimming events at 100, 400, and 1,000 meters; diving from heights of from four to twelve meters; and rowing events for pair cared gigs at 1,000 and 1,000 meters, four cared gigs at 2,000 meters, man of war gigs [six oars] at 2,000 meters, and man of war long boats [16 oars] at 3,000 meters.

Twelve shooting contests are listed and six bicycle events at different distances for single and tandem machines.

HURLEY HAS NOT RECOVERED.

Harvard Captain Still Suffers from Serious Injury Received During the Football Season.

Boston, Mass., Jan. 2.—[Special.]—Captain Daniel J. Hurley of the Harvard varsity eleven, who was injured seriously during the latter part of the football season, returned to his home today from a sojourn in the mountains, where he was sent after two weeks' treatment at the city hospital.

Capt. Hurley is not a well man by any means, and it looks now as if he would have to give up his cherished ambition to become a surgeon, owing to the severity of the injury. Capt. Hurley was forced to go to the hospital a few days before the game with Yale on account of a blood clot on the brain. At the time it was thought he would be out in a few days, but the young warrior has failed to recover his strength and must exercise the greatest of care in the future to prevent insanity.

The family has been anxious to put "Dan" through the Harvard Medical school, but the surgeons at the hospital are averse to his determination to study, and they will not consent to his returning to the medical school until a more complete examination is made of his injury.

In the fall of 1901 Capt. Hurley severely injured his head and was laid up for a week. The old smash bothered him off and on during the last four years, and in the game with the Carlisle Indians this fall he received two more bad knocks which resulted in a blood clot forming on the brain.

The result of the surgeons' examination is awaited with much anxiety by Harvard men in general, who regard Capt. Hurley as one of the best football men ever developed at Cambridge.

EXPECTS SPLIT IN FOOTBALL.

Nebraska's Representative Does Not Expect Old Rules Committee Will Confer with New One.

Lincoln, Neb., Jan. 2.—[Special.]—Prof. James T. Lees, who attended the New York football conference as a representative of Nebraska university, returned today. Prof. Lees is one of the seven members of the new committee to frame new rules, and does not believe the old committee will consent to act with the new one. "They have had the running of the game so long, I should be surprised if they should indicate a willingness to surrender any of that power now," he said. "They treated us fairly in our conference with them in Philadelphia, but they seemed to discover all of a sudden that they had no authority to act with us before consulting their colleges. If they should not consent to act with us in revising the rules the new committee will go ahead of its own accord."

Yale, 23; Cincinnati, 13.

Cincinnati, O., Jan. 2.—The Yale basketball team easily defeated the University of Cincinnati five here tonight by a score of 23 to 13.

WORK ON BASEBALL DATES

EFFORTS TO CHANGE NEXT SEASON'S OPENINGS TO APRIL 17.

Presidents Johnson and Pulliam Are Collaborating to Avoid Starting the Major League Pennant Races Before the Middle of April and Yet Allow Time in Fall for World's Championship Series—"Rube" Waddell Deal Is Unlikely.

Efforts are being made by the American and National leagues to change the date of opening the championship seasons, which was tentatively fixed for April 12, to April 17, thereby allowing for five days more of possible bad weather in case of a backward spring without interfering with the openings.

Presidents Johnson and Pulliam have been at work on the rough drafts of their 1906 schedules, but the former discovered a way to set back the American league's opening by five days without sacrificing that amount of time in October, and has made the suggestion to President Pulliam that he try to do the same with the National's schedule. The latter is working on that suggestion, and in the interval work on the American league's dates has been suspended pending his decision.

Neither league is strong for opening its season previous to the middle of April, but both desire not to extend the pennant race so far into October as to interfere with the world's championship series. April 12 falls on Thursday this year, and by delaying the opening until the following Tuesday the seasons can be closed one day earlier than last year, it is thought, without unduly compressing the schedules. It is essential that both major leagues start their seasons simultaneously, otherwise a great quantity of conflicting dates would be unavoidable.

President Johnson laughed at the reports from Buffalo announcing that Manager Collins of Boston was after "Rube" Waddell, and, although he would not deny the deal outright, made it plain that he did not think it was likely to be made. He declined to state any other reason for the conference in Buffalo, however.

Pitcher Bebee of the Oshkosh club last season, drafted by the Chicago Nationals, called at President Murphy's office yesterday. According to the Wisconsin league's records Bebee is a utility player as well as a twirler. He pitched forty-four games last season and was credited with winning thirty-seven of them. He also played in several more games as outfielder or infielder.

President J. T. Powers has called the annual meeting of the Wisconsin league for the morning of Jan. 9, which is the date of the meeting of the minor leagues' national organization in this city. It is planned to increase the Wisconsin circuit to eight clubs for next season by adding two cities to the present members—La Crosse, Oshkosh, Beloit, Wausau, and Green Bay, Wis., and Freeport, Ill. The two new members will be selected from Eau Claire, Madison, Janesville, Fond du Lac, and Appleton.

IRWIN AFTER STAR PLAYERS.

Wants Four Delehantys—Freeman and Dineen to Jump to Altoona in the "Outlaw" League.

Cleveland, O., Jan. 2.—[Special.]—Arthur Irwin, who will manage the Altoona "outlaw" league team next season, was in Cleveland today endeavoring to secure the signatures of the four Delehanty boys to contracts for his team. The brothers are Joe of the Buffalo club, Tom of Pueblo, Frank of the New York Americans, and Jim of the Boston National league club. None of them has signed a contract with his club as yet.

Irwin talked with Jim and Frank Delehanty and said he was satisfied he would secure the quartet. He will use the brothers as a feature card for his club, using two in the outfield and two in the infield.

Irwin also said he would have Freeman and Dineen of the Boston Americans next season. Both players are dissatisfied with the figures offered by the Boston club and, according to Irwin, will come to the tri-state league. He left tonight for Syracuse and expects to get Dineen's name to a contract tomorrow.

Irwin declares he will not attempt to sign any players already under contract, but will go after any one he wants who has not signed already. As there are many dissatisfied players in both leagues this year it looks as if Irwin would have no trouble in getting a fast team together.

LOBERT GOES TO CINCINNATI.

President Pulliam Issues Bulletin Including Release of Chicago Nationals' Recruit to the Reds.

New York, Jan. 2.—President Pulliam of the National Baseball league tonight announced the following contracts and releases:

Contracts—With Philadelphia, L. L. Harper, M. L. Doolin. Joseph A. Ward, Clarence H. Munson, Harry Kane, James Brady, Chester A. Christ; with Pittsburg, Arthur E. Meier, Harry Newmeyer; with Cincinnati, Carl Druhot.

Releases—By Chicago to Cincinnati, John Lobert; by Cincinnati to Columbus, Thomas W. Walker.

In a special notice all clubs are notified that Cincinnati will not complete its draft of Van Ande from Canton, O., and Johns from Dayton, O.

McCarthy to Coach Dartmouth Nine.

Boston, Mass., Jan. 2.—[Special.]—Thomas F. McCarthy, the famous Boston player of ten years ago, has been engaged to coach the Dartmouth college baseball players next season. He will go to Dartmouth on March 15, and remain with the team until the close of the season.

O'BRIEN TO FIGHT GUS RUHLIN.

Matched for Twenty Round Bout at Catchweights Before the New Tuxedo Athletic Club.

New York, Jan. 2.—[Special.]—Jack O'Brien is going to fight Gus Ruhlin on March 1 before the New Tuxedo Athletic club, near Philadelphia. Articles for a battle of twenty rounds were signed today by both fighters, and William Rocap, matchmaker and referee of the club. The fight is to be at catch weights, and of course ought to end with a knockout inside the time limit. O'Brien evidently thinks he will beat Ruhlin handily, for he promised Rocap and O'Rourke, managers of the club, he would take on Marvin Hart soon after the Ruhlin bout, and he is considering the advisability of boxing Tommy Ryan after that.

WILL TEST WEIGHT ON THE LID.

C. A. A. Planning to Hold Amateur Boxing Tourney on Jan. 13, the Date Originally Scheduled for It.

[BY GEORGE SILER.]

The Chicago Athletic association has on its entertainment list for this month two amateur boxing shows. The first is scheduled for Saturday, Jan. 13, and the second for the 27th. The athletic committee, it is understood, has received no official notification from the city authorities to shut down on boxing, and believes, because its boxing tourneys are practically private, Chief Collins will keep his hands off. The first show, if it is permitted, probably will be an intercity affair—Milwaukee boxers against Chicagoans.

MAKE TEST OF TENNESSEE LAW.

Horsemen Arrange Special Race and Take Bets to Get Decision from the Courts.

Nashville, Tenn., Jan. 2.—Indictments were returned today by the county grand jury against a number of attendants at Cumberland park charging them with violating a provision of the law which prohibits betting on horse races in Tennessee. Several days ago horsemen arranged a race, opened a book, and took wagers. Five horses took part in the event. It was the desire of the turfmen to use the incident to test the race track bill.

Jockey Club Elects Officers.

Kansas City, Mo., Jan. 2.—The Kansas City Jockey club met here today and elected officers for the year. The officials of the club say there is no possibility of any racing under the auspices of the club during 1906. The officers elected are: President, Dr. J. S. Gardner, Kansas City; vice president, Edward Corrigan, Chicago; secretary, Benjamin Holmes, Kansas City; treasurer, W. A. Rule, Kansas City. Among the new directors are M. B. Wilt, Memphis; Edward Corrigan, J. S. Gardner, C. C. Christie, W. A. Rule, E. E. Sweeney, and Judge John C. Tarsney, Kansas City.

Gallagher Defeats Cutler.

New York, Jan. 2.—[Special.]—Albert Cutler played fine billiards in the first part of tonight's game with Tom Gallagher in the 18-2 balk line tournament at Daly's academy, but the veteran finally beat the Bostonian—400 to 334.

Well Known Sporting Man Killed.

New Orleans, La., Jan. 2.—A construction train in Canal street early today ran over and killed Owen Jameson, well known throughout the country as an expert sheet writer on racetracks.

BAD NEWS STARS AT NEW ORLEANS

Wins Seven Furlong Event with 116 Pounds Up; Overlooked by Bettors.

MONET IS THE CONTENDER

Belle of the Bay Takes City Park's "Baby" Race with Impressive Form.

New Orleans, La., Jan. 2.—[Special.]—E. R. Bradley's Bad News was the bright particular star of the seven race program at City park today. He won the seven furlongs, for 3 year olds and upwards, with 116 pounds on his back. The class of the race was conceded to him, but he was approached delicately by the betting public, which imagined he was out simply for an airing.

Odds of 6 to 5 were offered about Bad News, whereas if the atmosphere had been clear, he would have been at a prohibitive price. He won out easily over Goldmate, Monet, Orbicular, and that kind. He made an interesting struggle, getting to Monet in the middle part of the journey, but after he got through with Monet at the top of the stretch, Jimmy McCormick's 5 year old was merely a frazzle. Even Goldmate galloped over him for the place.

Albert Simmons cooled out the second 2 year old winner of the year after the three furlongs dash for "baby" racers. The one he sent to the post was Belle of the Bay, a filly by Ballyhoo Bey—Leisure.

Is Good Looking Filly.

Belle of the Bay's powers had been pretty well noised about and 6 to 5 was considered a good price against her with Nicol up. She is a good looking trick, had been schooled properly, and knew she was going to the races. She simply breezed one three furlongs and came home by herself. Eleven youngsters started in the race and most of them have yet to finish.

Outside of those two races there was nothing on the program calculated to inspire interest.

Corrigan landed a race with his homebred 3 year old Hadur at a distance of five and one-half furlongs. Hadur was held in less esteem than Telaphy and Granada but he was not overlooked. All that he had to beat was Tichimingo, and he did that with a little shaking up at the end.

There was a bad lot in the five and one-half furlongs for maiden 3 year old fillies, and Frenchie's First took the purse.

City Park Summaries.

First race, 11-16 mile—Listless, 102 pounds [W. Daly], 9 to 5, won; Mathis, 97 [Perret], 10 to 1, second; Puique, 92 [Hefferman], 30 to 1, third. Time, :50 2-5.

Second race, 11-16 mile—Frenchie's First, 112 pounds [Troxler], 10 to 1, won; Lutie Mac, 112 [Archibald], 6 to 1, second; Margaret Angela, 112 [Clements], 6 to 1, third. Time, 1:11 2-5.

Third race, ⅞ mile—Bad News, 116 pounds [J. McIntyre], even, won; Gold Mate, 94 [Wishard], 20 to 1, second; Monet, 119 [B. Smith], 10 to 1, third. Time, 1:30.

Fourth race, 11-16 mile—Hadur, 107 pounds [D. Hall], 4 to 1, won; Tichimongo, 107 [Wishard], 8 to 1, second; Grace Wagner, 109 [Troxler], 8 to 1, third. Time, 1:09 4-5.

Fifth race, ⅞ mile—Belle of the Bay, 115 pounds [Nicol], 3 to 2, won; French Empress, 115 [Wishard], 4 to 1, second; Our Maid, 115 [Landry], 7 to 1, third. Time, :36 1-5.

Sixth race, 1 mile and 70 yards—Morendo, 111 pounds [Dealy], 10 to 1, won; Rather Royal, 101 [Koerner], 10 to 1, second; Ben Heywood, 109 [Perret], 5 to 1, third. Time, 1:49.

Seventh race, 1 mile and 70 yards—Modred, 114 pounds [Jones], 2 to 1, won; Jole, 104 [Farrow], 13 to 1, second; Granvina, 109 [Powers], 2 to 1, third. Time, 1:49.

LADY VASHTI WINS HANDICAP.

Several "Good Things" Put Over at Fair Grounds, but One of Them Goes Wrong.

New Orleans, La., Jan. 2.—[Special.]—The Crescent City Jockey club presented an attractive card today for the purpose of easing the fall after the holiday, and the difference was not as striking as expected. There was a big crowd out. The track was in perfect condition at first, but a drizzling rain set in and had something to do with the disruption of form.

A handicap at five furlongs had the place of honor on the program. It brought out ten starters at weights ranging from 90 pounds down to 92, which was handed to Lucky Joe. The race provoked heavy speculation and was won in clever fashion by Lady Vashti, an 8 to 1 shot, which was skillfully handled by Jockey Sewell. Calabash, one of the betting choices, looked like a certainty seventy yards out, but Lady Vashti came down on a strip of good going well toward the outside and won by a length and a half.

Several good things were pulled off. The first of them was Frank Burns's Mesmerist filly, Fanny, in the five and one-half furlongs for maiden 3 year olds. The eastern crowd took to Fanny extensively at 4 to 1. She made a close finish of it with Black Bat, winning by a neck.

A killing was attempted with Albert in the second race in which his price was as good as 12 to 1, but George Bennett's Slow Poke, utterly neglected at 20 to 1, nosed out Albert. Optional probably was better than either of them, but had poor racing luck. Payne, which raced in the colors of W. C. Whitney in his early career, made sufficient use of his one burst of speed to run away from Colonist in the mile for 3 year olds. He was one of the outsiders in the betting. Hamilcar and Merry Pioneer shared favoritism at play.

Bonnie Prince Charlie repeated in the mile selling race. He would have been a favorite but for the strong tip on Antimony. The latter got into a jam coming to the stretch turn and was knocked down.

Summaries:

First race, 11-16 mile—Fanny, 105 pounds [O'Neill], 7 to 2, won; Black Cat, 110 [Sewell], 8 to 1, second; Buxom, 105 [McCarty], 15 to 1, third. Time, 1:10 1-5.

Second race, ⅞ mile—Slowpoke, 103 pounds [McIntyre], 20 to 1, won; Albert, 110 [Conley], 12 to 1, second; Optional, 102 [McCarty], 3 to 1, third. Time, 1:16 4-5.

Third race, 1 mile—Luretta, 105 pounds [Sewell], 7 to 10, won; Jacky Mack, 100 [J. McIntyre], 15 to 1, second; Tartan, 110 [Helgesen], 16 to 5, third. Time, 1:43.

Fourth race, 1 mile, handicap—Lady Vashti, 90 pounds [Sewell], 13 to 2, won; Calabash, 111 [O'Neill], 13 to 10, second; Van Ness, 109 [Perrine], 5 to 1, third. Time, 1:02.

Fifth race, 1 mile—Bonnie Prince Charlie, 111 pounds [Sewell], 9 to 2, won; Decoration, 102 [Hayes], 20 to 1, second; Wedgewood, 108 [McGee], 5 to 1, third. Time, 1:44.

Sixth race, 1 mile—Payne, 106 pounds [Earle], 12 to 1, won; Colonist, 113 [Johnson], 30 to 1, second; Arabo, 114 [Helgesen], 8 to 1, third. Time, 1:46.

RAY EGAN WINS "BABY" RACE.

Long Shot Defeats Large Field of Youngsters at Ascot—Steeplechase Captured by Marylander.

Los Angeles, Cal., Jan. 2.—Ray Egan, a 2 year old, today won the "baby" race at Ascot, at 20 to 1, from a big field of youngsters. The steeplechase went to Marylander, the second choice. The fields were large in every race and the talent broke about even on the day. Weather clear; track fast. Summaries:

First race, handicap, steeplechase, short course—Marylander, 137 pounds [Sutherland], 2 to 5, won; Canallon, 146 [Wally], 3 to 1, second; Mindora, 135 [Sullivan], 9 to 1, third. Time, 3:03⅘. Decimo and Tizan ran.

Second race, ¾ mile—Ray Egan, 112 pounds [Borell], 20 to 1, won; Napps, 112 [Horner], 7 to 2, second; Duke of Orleans, 112 [Buchanan], 7 to 2, third. Time, :37. Charles Clifford, Blue Bottle, Game Bird, Capt. Jarret, Tony Faust, El Casador, Long Nick, Hoot Mon, Allaric, and Lord Rossington ran.

Third race, ¾ mile—Bologna, 100 pounds [Kuns], 9 to 2, won; Lustig, 105 [Stuart], 3 to 1, second; Chalk Hedrick, 104 [Donvitz], 25 to 1, third. Time, 1:27⅘. Rubiana, Patsy Brown, Lucian, St. Winifreda, Wycfield, Supreme Court, Jingler, Bert Arthur, and Preservator ran.

Fourth race, 1 mile—Cutter, 95 pounds [Wiley], 3 to 5, won; El Otros, 105 [Booker], 8 to 1, second; Skeptic, 100 [Moriarity], 15 to 1, third. Time, 1:41. Silver Bee, Orilla, H. E. Carey, Sunray, Embarrassment, and Ralph Young ran.

Fifth race, Brooks course—Gilpin, 105 pounds [Notter], 7 to 10 won; Ikki, 103 [Powell], 3 to 1, second; Chickadee, 103 [Sullivan], 12 to 1, third. Time, 2:05¾. Nine Spot, Fixardon, and Fille d'Or ran.

Sixth race, 11-16 mile—Hector, 109 pounds [Miller], 2 to 1, won; Crowshade, 109 [Buchanan], 9 to 5, second; J. F. Donohue, 112 [Prior], 9 to 1, third. Time, 1:07. Charles Greene, Rexia, Capias, Chancellor, Walworth, and Elizabeth F. ran.

ENTRIES.

First race, ¾ mile—Teller, Belasco, Garrick, Colonel B. Palmer, Peter Farrell, Quick Bride, Welker, Moronte, Passum, Search Me, Antara, Silent Jean, Mohur, Rubinon, 100 pounds.

Second race, 1 mile—Dutiful, 118 pounds; Hot, 115; Red Damsel, 114; Fachauchita, Tehero, 113; Golden Light, Big Injun, Ulios, 108; Pearl Waters, Miss Rocap, Montesuma, 105; Red Light, 103; Lady Kispar, 100.

Third race, futurity course—Sir Brinkley, 115 pounds; Valencia, Bamble, 106; Banyan, 101; Parvo, Stoessel, Calix, Lillie B., Betsy, 100; Marpessa, 95.

Fourth race, 1 1-16 miles—Borghesia, 112 pounds; Banker, 108; Memories, 105; Chimney Sweep, 102; Chandley, Toupee, 100.

Fifth race, ⅞ mile and 50 yards—Harbor, 104 pounds; The Gaddy, Clydeo, The Huguenot, 104; Potrero Grande, 102; Dekaber, Judge Denton, 100.

Sixth race, 1 miles—Money Miss, 111 pounds; Revolt, 110; Confesso, 106; Chiefain, 104; Florence Fonso, 102; Winnie Adams, 99; Lacene, 89.

Van Burens, 11; Orientals, 4.

The Van Buren indoor baseball team last night defeated the Oriental team, 11 to 4, at Apollo hall. Both are members of the Columbian Knights league.

At the Billiard Halls.

At Schaefer & Green's—The final game of the three cushion tournament was played, leaving the standing of the players as follows: Taylor, first; Mannassau, second; Schaefer, third. Tonight Schaefer and Jevne will play a fifty point three cushion match.

At Healy's—C. Hallett defeated McCormick, 75 to 67. Tonight Furlong and Cole.

DESTROY A FAMOUS MARE.

LIBBERTIFLIBBET IS CHLOROFORMED AT SAN FRANCISCO.

Dam of George C. Bennett, Hainault, Valencienne, Honiton, and Gold Lace Is Killed on Account of Old Age—Sport at Oakland Proves to Be Ordinary — Princess Titania Wins the Cunard Handicap in Easy Style, Beating Romaine.

San Francisco, Cal., Jan. 2.—[Special.]—Libbertiflibbet, one of the most celebrated broodmares in the history of the California turf, is dead. Suffering from old age, she was chloroformed. Libbertiflibbet was the dam of the great colt, George C. Bennett, the frequent winner Hainault, the speedy Valencienne, the fine race mare Honiton, and Gold Lace. Libbertiflibbet was sired by Bullion, a son of War Dance. Her dam was Flibberjibbet, by Kingfisher.

The sport at Oakland today was ordinary. Anglets and Princess Titania were the winning favorites. The latter mare captured the Cunard handicap in easy style, followed home by Romaine. Prominence beat Grasscutter by a head in the third race. The finish of the last race was close, Hi Caul Cap beating Royalty by a nose. Hugh McGowan, the heavily backed favorite, finished an indifferent third.

The proposed special race for a purse of $3,500, at one and one-sixteenth miles, is off as several owners do not care to start until after the running of the Burns handicap. A sprinting race at five furlongs between Bear Catcher, Cruzados, Neva Lee, and San Nicholas, has been substituted. Summaries:

First race, ⅞ mile, selling—Rotrou, 107 pounds [Clark], 4 to 1, won; Watchful, 110 [Hayes], 3 to 1, second; Aikins, 110 [Graham], 2 to 1, third. Time, 1:29¾. Jim Pendergast, Lovey Mary, Chispa, Sizz, Paluluma, Pelf, Annie Belle, and Miss Topsy ran.

Second race, ⅞ mile, selling—Anglets, 96 pounds [Schade], 3 to 1, won; Soundly, 105 [Dickson], 8 to 1, second; Bonnie Rey, 96 [Battiste], 6 to 1, third. Time, 1:01¼. Classis, Mischief, MacFleckNoe, Pontotoc, Oscar Tolle, Marc H., Sun Rose, Bear Hunter, Young Pilgrim, St. Denis, David Boland, and Masedo ran.

Third race, ⅞ mile, selling—Prominence, 100 pounds [Harty], 4 to 1, won; Grasscutter, 106 [McBride], 6 to 5, second; Legal Form, 110 [Fountain], 10 to 1, third. Time, 1:14⅘. Marilius, Miss Spokane, and Busy Bee ran.

Fourth race, handicap, ⅞ mile—Princess Titania, 107 pounds [Radtke], even, won; Romaine, 103 [McBride], 3 to 1, second; Dargin, 98 [Robinson], 8 to 1, third. Time, 1:13 4-5. Princess Wheeler and Albert Fir ran.

Fifth race, 1 mile, selling—The Lieutenant, 115 pounds [Williams], 6 to 1, won; Major Penny, 102 [Robinson], 8 to 1, second; Hooligan, 103 [Fountain], 8 to 5, third. Time, 1:42. Helen S., Spring Ban, and Ocyrohe ran.

Sixth race, 1 1-16 miles—Hi Col. Cap, 104 pounds [Fountain], 6 to 1, won; Royalty, 104 [Robinson], 8 to 1, second; Hugh McGowan, 104 [Radtke], 6 to 5, third. Time, 1:48⅘. Meistersinger, Frank Wood, Water Cure, Our Sallie, and Possart ran.

ENTRIES.

First race, ⅞ mile, selling—Pam O'Shanter, Hagerdon, Dr. Sherman, Mountebank, Sherry, distributor, 103 pounds; Estraza, Standard, 101; Meiar, Miller's Daughter, 98; Dora I., Lady Atheling, 96.

Second race, ⅞ mile, 2 year olds—Pemada, 114 pounds; St. Lucar, Palemon, Yankee Jun, Menden, Sf; Albert Walsbach, 112; Irene Quitman, Jill, Native Son, Ruby Norton, 109.

Third race, Futurity course, selling—Olympian, 112 pounds; The Rougabout, Jake Ward, Bucolic, Gyros, Smithy Kane, Blumenthal, 109; Gossiper, 107; Clandestine, 104; Aunt Polly, Label Reed, 102.

Fourth race, 1 mile, handicap—Rightful, 110 pounds; St. George, 104; Corn Blossom, 102; Hanlon, Blue Eyes, 100; Lorado, 95.

Fifth race, 1 1-16 miles, selling—Phaon, Ethel Abbot, 107 pounds; Expedient, Tarrington, Major Penny, 104; Maud Muller, Mordecai, 102; Rigoroso, Langford James, 99; Flora Bright, 97.

Sixth race, ⅞ mile—Andrew B. Cook, 112 pounds; Briarthorpe, 109; Beau Ormonde, Ginnette, 107; Sinistros, H. L. Frank, Sandstone, 104; Rossbourne, 101; Pierre, Ethel Barrymore, 99; Lady Toddington, 99; Sugar Maid, 92.

HOWLEY AND LAVELLE GAIN SECOND PLACE IN TOURNEY.

Roll a Total of 1,181, Falling Five Pins Behind Alten and Hoffman for the Championship.

Going on with the first squad at O'Leary's alleys yesterday afternoon, Peter Howley and Edward Lavelle rolled a total of 1,181 and went into second place in the two men championship of the Chicago Bowling association. They finished five pins behind Alten and Hoffman, the leaders.

Former National Champion Frank Brill and Gus Steele rolled a consistent series, securing third place with 1167. City Clerk A. C. Anson and W. Richter came next, four pins behind.

Leaders in the individual event were displaced, H. Winklebleck going to the front with 633. W. Koenig getting second with 620, and J. Gray third with 617. Scores:

TWO MEN TEAMS.			
E. Lavelle	143	219	151
P. Howley	195	201	242—1181
F. Brill	181	208	190
G. Steele	179	218	200—1167
A. Anson	172	193	204
W. Richter	188	207	204—1163
H. Hall	210	158	188
F. Tabler	210	224	183—1135
Stemmer	143	177	189
Hobe	181	216	217—1123
H. Dubidge	181	203	178
H. Shepard	201	158	198—1119
O. Munger	177	202	175
F. Worden	244	190	138—1116
O. Trapp	194	179	189
C. Hengst	182	199	172—1115
H. Steers	194	170	181
O. V. Schmidt	195	204	171—1113
W. Carney	189	200	212
C. Nelson	153	215	231—1109
F. Hollis	190	210	157
R. Witzke	180	198	161—1096
O. Leonard	187	164	163
P. Shannon	213	195	171—1095
G. Poppelbaum	165	162	175
F. Blaul	187	168	227—1084
P. Hehr	194	164	178
A. McIntyre	162	165	184—1081
E. Feifer	181	193	173
J. Bergstrom	153	170	150—1079
W. Krueger	158	166	181
E. George	183	161	222—1071
F. Schmidt	177	178	144
Ramblow	188	168	166—1069
J. Pfeifer	172	209	150
E. Urban	179	179	197—1066
G. Gunderson	157	173	177
H. Golz	156	177	158—491
R. Zuegner	172	163	140—475
H. Shepard	144	171	187—502
F. Worden	144	182	100—486
P. Howley	135	161	190—486
Stemmer	190	135	158—483
W. Wolf	163	156	160—484
A. C. Anson	166	179	139—484
W. Fabler	170	170	149—489
Witzke	166	172	139—477
F. Rundgren	148	171	157—476
R. Wallen	129	165	167—461
F. Schmitz	135	157	157—447
C. Hengst	174	108	148—430
J. Kryda	149	145	124—418
Rambow	138	100	150—388

INDIVIDUALS.			
H. Winklebleck	223	163	237—633
W. Koenig	190	224	206—620
I. Graf	163	208	246—617
F. Blaul	199	219	183—601
O. W. Schmidt	211	200	178—589
H. Leffingwell	185	193	200—578
F. Brill	191	171	221—583
F. Esau	200	149	232—581
Ed George	169	215	188—572
H. Hull	179	226	166—571
O. Munger	188	199	213—570
Dysor	172	177	219—568
E. Feifer	211	188	190—589
A. Trapp	204	181	174—559
Hubacher	182	191	178—551
C. Schmitt	184	200	165—549
O. Leonard	182	197	167—546
Hehr	176	188	224—538
E. Leffingwell	199	189	159—537
Hobe	167	174	193—534
F. Hollis	159	172	199—530
A. Williams	197	144	187—528
W. Lukens	159	188	178—525
W. Durbridge	166	178	179—523
H. Steers	209	172	150—522
McIntyre	166	170	186—522
W. Krueger	176	170	170—520
T. Hartman	182	187	150—519
A. Martin	177	167	181—519
A. Nelson	188	125	201—514
J. Weber	155	171	187—513
G. Steele	176	153	174—508
J. Lavelle	167	172	169—508
G. Poppelbaum	171	145	189—505
J. Pfeifer	166	168	165—499
Sidie	180	174	145—499
E. Urban	175	175	149—499
G. Gunderson	168	168	163—499
H. Golz	156	177	158—491
R. Zuegner	172	163	140—475
H. Shepard	144	171	187—502
F. Worden	144	182	100—486
P. Howley	135	161	190—486
Stemmer	190	135	158—483
W. Wolf	163	156	160—484
A. C. Anson	166	179	139—484
W. Fabler	170	170	149—489
Witzke	166	172	139—477
F. Rundgren	148	171	157—476
R. Wallen	129	165	167—461
F. Schmitz	135	157	157—447
C. Hengst	174	108	148—430
J. Kryda	149	145	124—418
Rambow	138	100	150—388

ALLEGED GRAFTER PLACED ON TRIAL.

Former Chief of Philadelphia Filtration Bureau Faces Accusers.

ECHO OF WEAVER'S WAR.

Intense Interest in Case Shown by Reformers and Gang Leaders.

Philadelphia, Pa., Jan. 2.—[Special.]—John W. Hill, former chief of the filtration bureau, was placed on trial today on charges of forgery and falsification of the records.

The case attracted widespread interest, because on it hangs all the charges which Mayor Weaver has made against the gang. With the exception of Israel Durham all of the gang was on hand, the whole McNichol family finding seats early, with Tim O'Leary, the famous wine agent detective at the foot of the procession. All reform was there, too.

Notwithstanding the great public feeling, the jury was drawn and sworn in less than two hours. Before the first day of the trial ended District Attorney Bell not only finished his opening outline to the jury but called several witnesses who laid the groundwork for the pyramid of proofs.

Alleged Graft Edited Down.

Mr. Bell's opening speech made the important announcement that he has sifted the voluminous array of charges that ran into millions of graft down to seven counts, which give the total illegal payments as $230,420. Of this $110,000 were advances on "contracters' plants" subsequently returned to this city.

Mr. Bell opened his fight with the Schauffhauser "eat it up" story that revolves around the overpayment for rock excavation, in which Hill told his subordinate to take the balance and "eat it up" for Contractor McNichol.

He announced that he would call no expert witnesses. This was surprising, as it bars Maj. Gillette, the United States expert who investigated filtration and is now chief of the bureau in Hill's place.

Hill Losing Flesh.

Ex-Chief Hill showed the effects of the strain he had been under. His face was lined and pale. He had lost flesh. He is flanked with a notable array of lawyers and experts, among whom are former District Attorney George S. Graham, Edward W. Magill, and Joseph P. McCullen.

An array of witnesses are to be called, and the case will take at least ten days. Mayor Weaver may be summoned.

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BIG LINER FLEES FROM GIANT SEAS

Old Neptune Batters La Touraine with Huge Chunks of Ocean Till It Runs.

ELECTION BETS ARE PAID.

Winnings of Men Who Put Their Money on McClellan Are Handed Over.

NEW YORK BUREAU CHICAGO TRIBUNE. New York, Jan. 2.

Giant Seas Force Liner to Turn and Run.

The highest Atlantic seas ever recorded were met by the French liner La Touraine, in today from Havre, if the estimates of its officers are correct. They say the waves were nearly seventy feet from trough to crest. Passengers, unfamiliar with the tall waves, but probably not unversed in the art of spinning tall yarns, declared the officers' calculations are conservative and that the highest waves were really of the "mountainous" order.

Neptune was not kind to Kris Kringle on Christmas day. He abandoned his trident for a scoop and hove large sections of the ocean aboard the Touraine. The captain's cabin was flooded and battered and several passengers and some members of the crew were hurt by falls due to the rolling of the ship. After encountering the great sea the Touraine turned tail to the turbulence and ran before it several hours. The ship was more than two days late.

The Atlantic transport liner Minneapolis, from London, also had a hard tussle with the gale and sea. On Dec. 26, when the ship was staggering through the worst of the storm, Frederick Taylor, a cattleman, aged 35, disappeared. It is supposed that he jumped overboard.

The Cunarder Carpathia, from Mediterranean ports, shipped a heavy wave on Dec. 25, which knocked in several ports in the steerage quarters, flooding them and startling the immigrants.

McClellan Betors Get Their Money.

Tens of thousands of dollars in cash which has been impounded since Nov. 7 was paid out today by the stakeholders to those who had bet on the election of McClellan to the mayoralty. Early in the day Charles Mahoney, manager of the Hoffman house café, announced he was ready to settle, and there was a rush of bettors to that hotel. So fast did they come that Mahoney, who has been ill and who is still is weak, nearly was carried off his feet. At 4 o'clock in the afternoon he announced that all bets held by him, except a few small ones, had been paid. He had no estimate on the gross amount intrusted to him.

At the office of Wasserman Bros., in Broad street, one of the members of the firm said that they had been paying off the winners on McClellan all day. They understood the same course was being followed by all stakeholders in the financial district.

There was considerable grumbling among the Hearst bettors, but only a few kicks were registered. Mahoney said the largest single bet he had paid was one of $12,000 on McClellan against $4,000 on Hearst.

Miss Gould's Gift Makes Parsee's Return Possible.

Stopping at the hotel Martha Washington preparatory to sailing for India on Jan. 13, is probably one of the happiest women in New York. Her name is Miss Susie Sorabji, a Christianized Parsee, who has been in this country since May in the interest of the American Parsee school for women in Poona, India. This is Miss Sorabji's second visit to America. She came pledged to raise $10,000 for the improvement and extension of the American Parsee school, the only Christian school for the Parsees in India.

At Christmas drew near Miss Sorabji began to feel homesick. Despite her industry but $3,000 of the $10,000 had been raised. But a few days ago the young Parsee sent to her mother a dispatch which read: "Will sail for home on Jan. 13."

The good fairy who made the cable message possible was Miss Helen Gould.

"I have sent $7,000 to the agent of the American committee of the Parsee schools in India," Miss Gould is said to have written the young woman. "The sum now is complete. It is but a little gift of love to enable you to go home and be with your loved ones."

Boy Pianist Learns Poker and Goes Broke.

When Arthur Rubinstein, a Polish boy pianist, embarked on the liner Touraine for his first ocean voyage, he knew nothing about the great American game of poker. Before he landed today he knew a lot about it, for some obliging strangers had sat up a whole night teaching him the science of the game, and he had paid $400 for the lesson. He might have paid more, but he was in the predicament of many another person who has sat in the game—he did not have any more money to play with.

One of his first inquiries after he arrived was for a fresh supply of money from his managers here. It was on a lonesome night that four strangers in the saloon took pity on young Rubinstein and invited him to join their little sociable game. They also invited aunt de Gontaut-Biron, with whom Mr. Rubinstein had struck up friendship, but the aunt had traveled the ocean before and declined. He advised the pianist also to keep out, because he would be likely to lose.

Refuses to Stand In; Slain by His Countrymen.

Giuseppe Ricobono was murdered in the cellar beneath his own store in East Thirteenth street today. His body was found lying face upward, with the blade of a razor, broken into two pieces, crossed on his breast. His left hand had been half cut off at the wrists and his throat was cut. The cellar was used by Ricobono as a sleeping room.

The police say that a band of Italians killed Ricobono in revenge because he refused to tell them what he knew about the murder recently of an Italian known as Pasgoale Roccao. The slayers of this man are supposed to be in Philadelphia, where the police are looking for them.

Ricobono told the New York police what he knew of the case, adding also that he was in fear for his life. The police arrested on suspicion five Italians whom they found in the cellar an hour after the murder viewing the body.

Appellate Court Reverses Verdict Secured by Leiter.

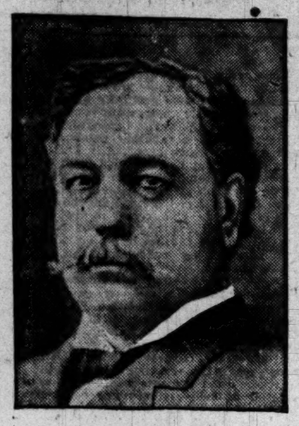
The Appellate division of the Supreme court today reversed the decision of the lower court by which Joseph Leiter was awarded a judgment for $5,567 against E. R. Thomas, O. F. Thomas, and Edwin W. Post, a brokerage firm. Mr. Leiter alleged that the brokers had sold without authorization certain stock of the Southern Pacific railroad company and of the International Power company, which they had bought for him on margin.

The Appellate division holds that the brokers being unable to communicate with the plaintiff at his office in Chicago, were justified in using their discretion, particularly as the transaction occurred on May 9, 1901, the day of one of the worst Wall street panics in recent years.

Duke Divorce Trial Must Go on Immediately.

A stay, pending an appeal in the suit for divorce brought by James B. Duke, president of the American Tobacco company, against his wife, Lillian M. Duke, was denied today in Jersey City by Vice Chancellor Pitney. Recently the New Jersey courts ruled that this divorce case must be tried in New Jersey on the ground that Mr. Duke was a resident of that state. An attempt was made to have the case tried in New York.

New Senator from Kentucky.



THOMAS H. PAYNTER.

ACCUSED OF LEAVING CREW IN WANT IN THE FAR NORTH.

Sailors at Herschel Island Send Round Robin to San Francisco, Accusing Capt. William Mogg of Bonanza.

San Francisco, Cal., Jan. 2.—[Special.]—From Herschel island, far north of the arctic circle, where the battered hull of the whaling schooner Bonanza lies, comes a tale of a reckless skipper and an ill treated crew that rivals the wildest romances of the sea. The accused skipper is Capt. Wm. Mogg, who now is in San Francisco.

The crew had shipped with Mogg for a three years' cruise in whaling waters, and now are at Herschel island with scant rations, they claim.

A round robin has been sent down here by the crew in which Capt. Mogg is accused of deserting his men in the hour of need, of compelling them to construct houses for copper colored women while the men themselves slept on the tundra, and of bartering for a few furs a year's provisions saved by the shipwrecked seamen for their sustenance.

He is accused of having given away the greater part of what flour and bacon there was and his hungry men were left to shift for themselves, thousands of miles from civilization.

Finally he is accused of willfully wrecking a ship that could have been brought safe to port.

The sailors close their round robin by saying they will prosecute the captain in the federal court when they reach here next summer.

Mogg today passed over the round robin by declaring the sailors "a bunch of kickers."

FAILURE OF TRUST COMPANY HAS SEQUEL IN INDICTMENTS.

Warrants Are Out for Former Officials of Maryland Trust Company, Baltimore, Md.—One Is Arrested.

Baltimore, Md., Jan. 2.—[Special.]—The grand jury today returned indictments against J. Wilcox Brown, former president; Henry J. Bowdoin, former vice president; and J. Bernard Scott, former treasurer of the Maryland Trust company, which was placed in the hands of a receiver two years ago, and was recently reorganized by New York capitalists. In each case the charge is violation of the law prohibiting "false or fraudulent statements regarding the financial condition of any corporation." The penalty is a fine of not less than $1,000 or imprisonment or both.

Henry J. Bowdoin, who is a well known lawyer here, was arrested on a capias from the Criminal court and released on $10,000 bonds. Warrants were issued for the arrest of Brown, now residing in Afton, Va., and Scott, who is now a resident of Georgia. Friends declare that both will return to the city and give bail.

The cause of the company's failure was generally attributed to an effort to finance the Vera Cruz and Pacific railroad of Mexico, in which it was said to have sunk over $8,000,000 without return. The road was subsequently sold to the Mexican government, which guaranteed an issue of $7,000,000 of bonds, $5,000,000 of which went to the trust company in payment for the railroad. Speyer & Co. bought these bonds from the receiver.

WM. PRENTISS' MOTHER DEAD.

Mrs. Elizabeth P. Manley Expires at Residence of Her Son, the Civil Service Commissioner.

Mrs. Elizabeth Prentiss Manley died Monday evening at the residence of her son, William Prentiss of the civil service commission, 1345 Morse avenue. General debility resulting from old age was the cause of death.

Mrs. Manley was born in Green county, Pa., on Nov. 27, 1823, one of a family of ten children, seven of whom are now living. Her maiden name was Gapen. The family came west in 1841 and settled in Schuyler county, Ill. Elizabeth was married in 1847 to Dr. William Prentiss of Rushville, Ill. The couple had two children, William and Florence. The latter died in 1862.

Dr. Prentiss died in 1854 and Mrs. Prentiss was married in 1860 to James Manley, a wealthy farmer of McDonough county, who died in 1888. Mrs. Manley had lived with her son since 1891. She was an active member of the Methodist church and of the Woman's Christian Temperance union.

OBITUARY.

JOHN C. WILSIE, who died last Sunday at his residence, 619 Tremont street, was born in New York state in 1832 and came to Chicago with his parents in 1842. Later he settled on a farm near Barrington, Ill., and after several years of farming moved to Elgin, where he engaged in the nursery business. Ten years ago he retired from business and came to Chicago. He is survived by a widow, one daughter, Mrs. William K. McFarlin, East Orange, N. J., and one son, George W. Wilsie of Chicago. Burial will be today in the cemetery at Dundee, Ill.

GABRIEL ALOYSIUS BILDERBACH, one of the managers of Rector's, Clark and Monroe streets, died suddenly at 11:40 o'clock last evening of apoplexy. His death occurred in the Lakeside hospital, where he was taken in the afternoon. For several days he had been suffering from vertigo. He worked New Year's eve in the oyster house as usual, but on Monday was unable to go to his work. He lived at 5726 Calumet avenue. A widow and two children survive him.

HENRY F. PORTER, 83 years old, a pioneer resident of Waukegan, died there yesterday. He was a captain on the lakes for many years, was government enrolling officer at Waukegan from 1863 to 1865, and later engaged in the grocery trade, retiring in 1890. He left two daughters, Mrs. J. W. Barwell of Waukegan and Mrs. J. H. Charles of Kenosha.

WILLIAM D. KIRK, president of the Capital City bank of St. Paul, Minn., is dead of heart failure. He had been engaged in the banking business in the Minnesota town for twenty years.

GEN. FRANCIS FESSENDEN of Portland, Me., aged 68, one of Maine's most distinguished soldiers of the civil war and a former mayor of Portland, is dead.

ALBERT H. FARNUM, Chicago, will be buried today. The funeral will be held at 2834 Prairie avenue at 2 p. m. instead of 2:30, as previously announced.

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BLACKBURN IS DEFEATED.

JUDGE PAYNTER CAPTURES KENTUCKY SENATORSHIP.

Present Incumbent Badly Beaten in Democratic Caucus After One of the Most Spectacular Political Battles Ever Fought on Southern Soil—Opponent Victorious All Along the Line and His Election Now Is Assured.

Frankfort, Ky., Jan. 2.—Judge Thomas H. Paynter of the Kentucky Court of Appeals, was nominated on the first ballot, taken in joint caucus tonight, to select a democratic candidate for United States senator to succeed J. C. S. Blackburn. This carries with it the certainty of election, as the democrats have more than two-thirds of the combined membership of both branches of the legislature. The vote was as follows:

Judge Thomas H. Paynter	59
Senator J. C. S. Blackburn	34
W. B. Haldeman	10
Congressman David H. Smith	1
Necessary to nomination	53

Judge Paynter's victory ends one of the hardest fought senatorial struggles of the last twenty years of Kentucky politics. His nearest opponent was Mr. Blackburn, the incumbent, who has represented Kentucky in the house and senate, with but one intermission, for nearly a quarter of a century.

Blackburn Support Fades Away.

Until two days ago it generally was believed that there would be a deadlock in the caucus. When the house and senate caucuses for the purpose of organizing these bodies were held last night it became apparent that Judge Paynter, who was backed by Gov. Beckham and the state administration men, would gain the coveted prize. Although the Haldeman and Blackburn forces combined to name the officers of the two houses, Paynter men were installed. The vote tonight showed that Paynter not only held last night's strength but received an accession of two votes.

When the joint caucus met there was no contest over the chairmanship. Senator Henry George, a Paynter supporter, who was last night chosen chairman of the senate caucus, unanimously was selected to preside.

Forecasts McCreery's Defeat.

United States Senator James B. McCreery was Blackburn's chief supporter, and in this connection politicians already foresee one of the effects of the contest on Kentucky politics in the future. Democratic leaders expect that McCreery, when his term expires, will have to put up a fight for reëlection just as Blackburn did with Gov. Beckham as his chief opponent.

Thomas H. Paynter was born in Lewis county, Ky., Dec. 19, 1851. He has served three terms in congress and is a member of the Kentucky Court of Appeals. His early education was acquired in the Lewis county public schools, which was supplemented by study in the Rand academy and later by a course at Center college at Danville.

ADDICKS CREATED LAWSON, WHO THEN "TURNED TRAITOR."

Bay State Gas Man Tells How He Took Up Bostonian to Keep Him Good.

Philadelphia, Pa., Jan. 2.—[Special.]—With protestations that he always had acted for the best interests of the stockholders of the Bay State Gas company of Delaware, that he never derived personal profits from any stock transaction, that he never kept any books or check stubs to account for the millions that frequently changed hands, J. Edward Addicks today answered the cross-examination of the attorneys for George Wharton Pepper, receiver of the company.

He asserted and reasserted he has suffered a complete loss of memory with regard to the alleged stock juggling that Receiver Pepper was so anxious to reveal. Under the most scathing questions Addicks merely smiled and said:

"Really, I cannot remember."

To some questions he answered he had acted under the advice of counsel, and to others he asserted he was compelled to buy certain stocks and then sell to the Bay State Gas company at a profit to himself, "because he was being blackmailed."

He mentioned Lawson in connection with the blackmailing story. In fact, he mentioned Lawson whenever he got a chance and never in a complimentary fashion. He said he had made Lawson—had raised him from "a miserable little curbstone broker to the height of frenzied finance."

How he did it was a naïve confession. Lawson had been making vigorous attacks on Addicks' methods of handling the affairs of Bay State Gas, and Addicks, to suppress Lawson, took him into the game as a broker who was to handle all transactions of the company.

"Then he turned traitor," said the gas man.

When counsel for Receiver Pepper demanded he produce the books or show check stubs to account for the manner in which he had paid out millions of the money of Bay State Addicks smiled:

"Why, I never bothered about keeping any books," he said. "I paid out the money without making any entries on the check stubs."

"What is your recollection of the money paid out by Addicks of the Bay State Gas company to Addicks of the People's Gas Light and Coke company of Buffalo?" he was asked.

"Really, I don't remember," said Addicks.

PUBLIC DEBT DECREASE SHOWN

Grand Total on Dec. 30 $4,883,113 Less than on First of Month, Accounted For by Cash Increase.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 2.—The monthly statement of the public debt shows that at the close of business on Dec. 30, 1905, the total debt, less cash in the treasury, amounted to $904,880,715, which is a decrease as compared with Dec. 1, 1905, of $4,883,113. This decrease is largely accounted for by a corresponding increase in the amount of cash on hand. The debt is recapitulated as follows:

Interest bearing debt	$ 895,159,140
Debt on which interest has ceased since maturity	1,199,635
Debt bearing no interest	388,291,316
Total	$1,284,650,091

This amount, however, does not include $1,011,897,869 in certificates and treasury notes outstanding, which are offset by an equal amount of cash on hand which is held for their redemption. The cash in the treasury is classified as follows:

Gold reserve	$ 150,000,000
Trust funds	1,011,397,869
General fund	173,086,024
In national bank depositories	64,764,387
In Philippine treasury	3,185,976

Against the total of $1,404,444,236 there are demand liabilities outstanding amounting to $1,114,663,863, which leaves a cash balance on hand of $289,780,375.

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'WHERE ARE WE?' ROOSEVELT ASKS.

Wants to Know Views of Senate on Domingo Treaty and Canal Bills.

BOTH TO CAUSE TROUBLE.

Bishop Preparing to Show How He Will Earn Salary as Commissioner.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 2.—[Special.]—President Roosevelt talked earnestly today with senatorial callers in regard to the action congress will take upon the Santo Dominican treaty and the Panama canal. The president is urging prompt action upon the treaty, insisting that the earlier he knows the view of the senate the earlier he will be able to define the permanent policy this government should pursue in the Caribbean sea island.

There are some senators who believe it would be wiser to delay the vote on the treaty, supporting this opinion by the probability that revolutionary developments will convince the country of the propriety of intervention. The president feels, however, that the situation in Santo Domingo must be considered also. There is a strong anti-American sentiment prevailing among the Dominican people, and while the Caceres government has expressed a willingness to stand by the arrangement made by Morales, provided certain amendments are made, it is possible that another government might be hostile to it.

It is likely, therefore, that the treaty will be pressed to a vote, and if it be defeated the administration will have recourse to a joint resolution authorizing it to continue the policy now in force.

Congress Must Share Responsibility.

With reference to the Panama canal, the president proposes that congress shall have with him coördinate responsibility. The isthmian canal commission will recommend the construction of a lock canal and in transmitting this report and the views of the board of consulting engineers, the majority of which favored a sea level canal, he will say that while a lock canal seems preferable, still the decision should be left to congress.

The administration senators have told the president that there will be difficulty in regard to the confirmation of the nomination of Joseph Bishop, the former press agent, to be a commissioner. They have said that the first questions the democrats will ask will be: "What will be the duties of Mr. Bishop and will he earn the $10,000 salary which we understand he is to be given?"

It is understood the president will prepare a memorandum explaining exactly what Bishop is to do and it will be used on the floor of the senate. Bishop was in conference tonight with the president and has been instructed to prepare a statement for the information of the president.

Philippine Tariff Will Cause Row.

Although the house leaders will not concede the fact, it nevertheless is true that there is some apprehension over the fate of the Philippine tariff bill. Before the adjournment for the holiday recess Chairman Payne of the committee on ways and means gave notice that he would call up the measure immediately upon the reconvening of congress, but it is not unlikely that it may give way to the statehood bill after the president's message is disposed of.

There is trouble ahead for both of these measures and well organized forces of insurgents, each differing from the other in personnel, are prepared to fight the passage of each of these bills.

The beet sugar insurgents have been at work to line up a number of republicans who are opposed to the proposed reduction of rates on Philippine tobacco, and they assert that they have been successful in obtaining the support of a dozen or more. It will require at least fifty-six republicans joining with the democrats to overrule a decision of the chair against the general tariff amendments to the bill, and it is the hope, and, outwardly at least, the expectation of the leaders that there will not be that number of insurgents who will stand together.

Should there be, the friends of the tariff measure must rely upon the desire of the democrats to have the bill pass over and above any desire they may have to make campaign capital out of an effort to remove the differential on sugar and place the republicans in the same sort of plight as they were when they first sought to drive the Cuban reciprocity bill through the house.

The democrats, with few exceptions, will be in favor of the bill as reported, if they cannot get a bill establishing absolute free trade between the islands and the United States, as is shown by their report, but if the opportunity is afforded them they intend to harrass and embarrass the leaders by a play on the differential on refined sugar.

DOMINICAN INSURGENT FORCE IS BESIEGING PUERTO PLATA.

Decisive Engagement with Casceres' Troops Expected at Santiago—Morales Acting in Interests of Jiminez.

CAPE HAYTIEN, Hayti, Jan. 2.—A revolutionary force of Dominicans numbering 250 men is, according to advices received here by messenger today, camped on the Santiago-Puerto Plata road, Santo Domingo, and is besieging Puerto Plata. The revolutionists, it is added, occupy positions which prevent all ingress to or egress from Puerto Plata except for American warships or persons under the protection of the foreign consuls.

The threatened bombardment of the port by the revolutionary gunboat Independencia will not take place, presumably owing to the representations of the foreign consuls.

The messenger from Santo Domingo also announces that the troops commanded by Gen. Guelito, the former governor of Monte Cristi, are operating in conjunction with the revolutionary forces before Puerto Plata, and that it is the intention of the two forces to attack Santiago, south of Puerto Plata, where Gen. Caceres, the temporary president of the republic, is drawing up his troops. A decisive engagement is expected to occur at Santiago.

According to the reports which reached Cape Haytien, Morales, the fugitive president of Santo Domingo, is acting in the interests of Gen. Jiminez, the former president of the republic, whose attempt to regain the presidency in 1903 was defeated.

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MORE VICTIMS OF CHRISTMAS.

Toy Pistol Causes Death of Boy and May Be Fatal to Girl at Memphis, Tenn.

Memphis, Tenn., Jan. 2.—[Special.]—Charles E. Harry, 10 years old, who shot himself in the finger on Christmas day, died today from tetanus. Josephine Egan, 13 years old, who shot herself in the foot, is in a critical condition, and if she lives the child will be a cripple.

School of Domestic Science, 39 State street. Cooking, Sewing, Millinery, Hygiene.

DEATHS.

[For other death notices see page 13.]

MANNING—Richard Manning, aged 87 years, beloved father of George, Mary Manning, and Mrs. A. E. Funeral Thursday, 2:30 p. m., from Schneider's chapel, 3825 State-st. Interment at Oakwoods. Funeral private.

PALMER—William A. Palmer, Jan. 2, 1906. Funeral services at Sheldon's undertaking rooms, 230 W. Madison-st., Thursday, Jan. 4, at 2 p. m. Interment at Forest Home.

NELSON—John Nelson, Dec. 31, beloved husband of Marie L. Nelson, father of George, John A., Emma, Annie, and Harry Nelson, aged 66 years. Funeral Sunday, Jan. 7, 2 p. m., from late residence, 2271 N. Paulina-st. Interment at Graceland. Member of N. W. council No. 315, R. A.; member of M. W & Co. Clerks' Benevolent association.

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HEALTHY CHICAGO.

One reason why Chicago is growing so fast is that it is being made extremely hard for folks to die here. Despite a combination of reckless chauffeurs, warring teamsters, murderous burglars and highwaymen, and truculent microbes this city's death rate was smaller in 1905 than that of any other large city in the world. It continued to be healthy up to the year's close. The December mortality was the lowest ever recorded for that month.

The city's good health in 1905 was due to several causes. The health department deserves credit for its successful efforts to keep virulent bacterial diseases, especially smallpox, under control. Typhoid fever, once one of the commonest and deadliest diseases here, has been made comparatively uncommon by the construction of the drainage canal and the diversion of most of the city's sewage from the lake. Favorable weather conditions almost throughout the year helped keep contagious and infectious diseases at a minimum.

But last year, as in previous years, Chicago owed its good health largely, if not chiefly, to its location. Lying for miles along Lake Michigan and blown over almost constantly by breezes which rapidly carry away all the foul exhalations which arise, and dotted with many open spaces where the air is always good and children may enjoy invigorating play, if Chicago has not always been one of the healthiest places on earth it has been because public officials at times have not been disposed to adopt and enforce proper sanitary measures and public opinion has not compelled them to do so.

Good as the city's health was last year, it can be made better and steps ought to be taken this year to that end. Much sewage is still poured into the lake. The work of completing the system of intercepting sewers should be pushed as fast as possible. War is not being waged so vigorously on consumption as it ought to be. The health department should receive the support of the council and the public in its efforts to diminish the number of unnecessary deaths from this disease, and the board of education should go ahead and carry out the comprehensive plans it has formulated for banishing it from the public schools. There should be more vigorous efforts to abate the smoke nuisance, the noise nuisances, and other nuisances which injure the public health. A proper and adequate system of sanitation will not only keep Chicago the healthiest city in the world, but it will make it healthier than it has ever been.

THE DOUMA.

The czar holds inflexibly to his promise that his subjects shall have a kind of national assembly—the douma. Apparently he has not been discouraged by the cold reception given what he considered a great concession. The douma is not what the Russian "intelligents" desired, for it will be a consultative or advisory body instead of a legislative assembly. It will have no power over the purse or the sword. Yet the czar thought he was yielding much, and so he was, for advisory elective bodies develop into legislative bodies in countries which are prepared for constitutional government.

It is a misfortune for Russia that the "intelligents" did not accept heartily what the czar tendered them, though it was much less than they asked for, and strive to make the most of it. They distrusted him and did nothing to aid the man whom he chose to carry out his policy. By holding aloof they strengthened the hands of the revolutionists, with whose fatal policy no one should sympathize. They are doing their utmost to make the czar cancel all concessions and adopt the policy of coercion.

It may be that if the revolutionists had not begun their campaign of violence the reforms promised concerning personal and religious liberty would have been put in operation slowly and imperfectly. It is certain that the condition of the country has been such for months as to make it impossible to carry out reform measures. A government fighting outbreaks like those at Moscow and Sevastopol has no time to devote to the recasting of the criminal laws.

In spite of the disturbed condition of the empire the elections for the douma are to proceed in districts where the government can maintain order. This means that no elections will be held in the Baltic provinces, the Caucasus, and many other districts. It is announced that as soon as the certificates of half the members to be elected shall have been received the douma will be convened.

The Russians, incurably distrustful, say that it is the intention of the autocracy to control the elections so as to make the douma a mere puppet body. Possibly that is the intention. The franchise is so limited, in spite of recent extensions, that the government should be able to dictate the choice of members to a considerable extent.

The douma may prove to be anything but a serviceable tool for government use. It may be composed in part at least of men who have political good sense and courage, and who will make it the mouthpiece of the aspirations of intelligent, reasonable, and peaceable Russians. They are the men who will regenerate the empire, not the anarchists who are inciting the workingmen to take up arms.

THE INTEREST IS NOT ACUTE.

President Hadley of Yale says "the whole country is watching Chicago's effort" to secure the municipal ownership of street railroads "with the greatest interest." That is putting the case a little too strongly. Nine months ago when Chicagoans elected a mayor who had promised the community immediate municipal ownership considerable interest was awakened throughout the country. It was assumed that in some way Chicago was to get possession of the traction properties at once and operate them itself for its own benefit.

The experiment, if made, would have been watched closely in other American cities. Month after month went by and the mayor failed to live up to his promises. The public, which loves novelties, and forgets quickly things which once held his attention, soon began to lose sight of Chicago and its traction question. It became apparent that there was to be no immediate municipal ownership. The insurance investigation was more productive of continuous excitement than the Chicago problem, and shoved that problem on one side.

Therefore at this time "the whole country" is not watching Chicago with feverish concern to see how it will operate street car lines. If President Hadley were to spend a few days in Chicago and mingle freely with all kinds of people he would discover that they are not so much wrought up over municipal ownership as they were last spring, when they thought a new era was about to begin, and Chicago was to set a glorious example to the other American cities. They have cooled down since then.

Chicagoans have come to understand that the traction question is not one of the easy matters which can be settled by the confident assurances of a candidate for office. President Hadley says "the people must be taught that difficult things are accomplished slowly." Chicagoans have learned during the last nine months that municipal ownership of street railroad systems is a difficult thing which cannot be obtained in an offhand way.

The conviction is strengthening among Chicagoans that municipal ownership is undesirable under existing conditions, as well as difficult of realization, and that the subject had better be postponed for a decade at least. If there are people in other cities who are watching intensely for a test of the municipal operation of street car lines in Chicago they might as well devote their attention to something of a more profitable nature.

NO DEAD STATES.

The perennial life of the American commonwealths is illustrated by the revived briskness of trade in parts of the union which have been supposed to have outlived their importance. The paper industry of Maine is the theme of one of the writers in the last Review of Reviews. Wildernesses abandoned to hunters have been made to yield the material for mills; these in turn are utilizing water power which had been running to waste for ages; branch railroads are reaching points believed inaccessible; new towns are springing up and old ones are flourishing. The same story comes from the abandoned farms of New England. Scientific methods have been introduced through the influence of the agricultural colleges. Attention has been paid to the demand of the cities, and those crops are raised which pay best. A large number of Jews and others whose wits have been sharpened by life in the big cities have taken to farming, and none of their land is wasted. They know better than any one what the cities want, and through the acquaintance they have with the cities they can ship their produce direct to the retailer and cut off the middleman's profits.

The trend of population to the cities does not mean any diminution in the agricultural wealth of the country. Improved appliances and methods make it possible for a smaller number of men to raise equally large crops. Where the farmer of English descent dies, and his sons are established in the cities or in the west, and his farm is sold for a low price, the newcomer to America finds his opportunity. Living in an economical way, with a large family of children to help him, he can acquire wealth from the land which yielded its former owner only a bare subsistence. In many cases it is the rich city business man who buys the farm for a summer home for his family, and thus stimulates trade in the village.

Farther west the story is repeated. The land is utilized in a way that was impossible a generation ago. Swamps are drained, deserts are irrigated, land that was worthless when the population was small and better land could be had for the asking is taken in hand and improved now that the better land is occupied and the increase in population and number of the cities provides a market worth catering to. The soil is analyzed and experts advise as to its use. Trolley lines and farm telephones bring the farmer into contact with the world. The older states are far from dead, the newer ones are more alive than ever. Electricity and applied chemistry are working as great marvels outside of the great cities as in them, and no part of the union is excluded from the benefits of the new century.

FREE ALCOHOL FOR MANUFACTURERS.

The attempt to exempt from internal revenue taxation grain alcohol used by manufacturers will be renewed in this congress. A bill for that purpose has been introduced and is in the hands of the committee on ways and means.

There is no question that the industries which make use of alcohol would be greatly benefited if the tax of $2.20 were taken off. There are many articles which are not manufactured in this country because of the tax. The customs duties, though high, are not high enough to protect a domestic manufacturer against foreign competition. Because the German manufacturer has untaxed alcohol while the American has not, the value of the artificial dyes annually made in the United States is about $2,400,000, while Germany exports $30,000,000 worth. Fine chemicals valued at less than $5,000,000 are made in this country, but Germany exports $50,000,000 worth.

There is no question that the alcohol tax is a serious handicap on scores of industries which are important or could be made so. The remission of the tax would cut into the revenues of the general government, but the lost revenue could be made good by some other tax which would not be so manifestly prejudicial to great manufacturing interests and the industrial prosperity of the country.

If the tax on alcohol shall be taken off it will be necessary to protect the government against fraud. The alcohol used for manufacturing purposes will have to be made undrinkable or unfit for use as a beverage. Government officials have expressed the fear that it would be difficult to devise effective precautions against fraud. They have questioned whether the alcohol which had been made undrinkable could not be made serviceable as a beverage at little cost with great profit to the manipulator. This is a matter which deserves consideration, but the impetus which free alcohol would give to many industries may properly count for more with congress than dubious possibilities of fraud.

The wood alcohol industry would be harmed by the removal of the tax on alcohol used in the manufactures. Wood alcohol is much cheaper than tax paid grain alcohol, but the latter would be the cheaper if the tax were taken off. There are dangers attaching to the use of wood alcohol because of its poisonous qualities, and it probably would be little used if grain alcohol were tax free. The proposed legislation may encounter the interested opposition of wood alcohol manufacturers and the opposition of congressmen who do not think it prudent for the government to surrender needed revenue. That is the real sticking point—to give up several millions and to agree on some new and less onerous tax as an offset. That should not be too exhausting a task for congress.

It would be an immense relief if tradesmen could be persuaded to swear off from the unseemly habit of presenting bills as soon as the New Year is over.

If King Edward and Kaiser Wilhelm have begun telling truths on each other there is no telling where it will stop.

Mr. McCall has made good the $235,000 Hamilton shortage, but he might make still better by resigning.

Some men are so contrary, however, that their good resolutions all expire by limitation on New Year's day.

There are several men, at all events, who will not do any Gilhooleying in 1906.

The life insurance investigation is over, and the performers hope the audience has enjoyed the entertainment.

As to Mr. Dougherty, late of Peoria, it will be unnecessary for him to swear off.

Every passholder can see good reasons why the railways should make an exception in his case.

The "Leaves of Healing," on the contrary, appear to have been turned back.

Taking into consideration that the dry dock Dewey was not built for speed, it is making good progress.

Galesburg barbers refuse to shave the fifteen Filipino students who are taking a course at Knox college. It is up to the dark little men to let their dark little beards grow or learn to shave themselves.

Gen. Bingham, Gotham's new police commissioner, has shown his ability to talk to the policemen in language they can comprehend.

If you think the city has made a New Year resolution to pay those rebates it owes you on special assessments, go and try to collect them.

When Mr. La Follette does break loose, however, there will be a shaking among the senatorial dry bones.

Some things have developed in the New York speakership contest that may be described as unspeakable.

Uncle Sam is about to shut down the lid on Bering sea, but he can't seal it. No seals left.

You may depend upon February for making up any shortcomings on the part of the preceding months in the matter of weather.

Taking one year with another, the temperature of Moscow is kept at an average considerably higher than that of other cities.

It is due to the Hon. Dave Hill to say that he has remained faithfully in the retirement into which he went a year ago.

Old 1905 must have been glad to go. He had aged fearfully from mental worry over strikes, revolutions, and insurance scandals.

Do you remember that one year ago Mrs. Chadwick was furnishing the principal topic of conversation?

St. Louis wishes to direct Milwaukee's attention to the fact that there are more ways than one by which beer can make a town famous.

IN A MINOR KEY.

Consoling Thought.

"I may not have given away as much money as I should have given," said the multimillionaire to himself, "but in my humble way I have been the means of adding a great deal to the bank account of Miss Ida Tarbell during the last few years."

Seemed So.

Tommy—"Paw, what is a horn of plenty?"
Mr. Tucker (with strong feeling)—"One of those infernal things everybody was blowing on New Year's eve!"

Chance for a Jab.

Miss Tartun—"Mrs. Upmore has a strange dislike for me."

Miss Jellers—"Yes; and she has only the slightest acquaintance with you—that's what makes it seem so strange."

Proposed Amendment Rejected.

"Laura," said Mr. Ferguson, hurriedly explaining matters in the kitchen, "I didn't want to bring the man home to dinner, but he kept staying and staying at the office, and I just had to ask him. You will have to put as good a face on it as you can."

"If you think I'm going to change my face on his account, George Ferguson," said his spouse, red and angry, "you'll have to think again! You may bring him out to dinner right now!"

At the Night School.

Teacher—"One of the strangest metamorphoses in nature, it has always seemed to me, is that of a tadpole turning to a frog."

Shaggy Haired Pupil—"Is it any stranger than a ship turning turtle?"

In the Dawn of History.

"There seems to be something missing, Eve, don't you think?" said Adam, looking at the primitive ornaments wherewith his helpmate had adorned their habitation.

"I know there is," answered Eve. "You miss the antiques. But how could we possibly have any?"

Wayside Communings.

Mosely Wraggs—"You went an' took in one o' them big free Noo Year's dinners, did ye?"

Wareham Long—"Yep, but it wasn't a dinner—nuthin' but a lot o' things t' eat."

C. W. T.

Explained.

"She says she's never been to a horse show."

"Well?"

"And yet she claims to be in society."

"You forget that she has always lived in Boston. They are equine exhibits there."—Pittsburg Post.

Correct Notion of Graft.

"I des so po'sen low down in pocket," said Brother Williams, "dat sometimes, w'en de bailiff come my way, I almos' wish I wus one er dese national grabbers!"—Atlanta Constitution.

Among the Shades.

Pompey—"Our friend Napoleon is a good hater, isn't he?"

Charlemagne—"Guess he is. What makes you think so?"

Pompey—"There he is over in the corner chuckling at the latest news from Moscow."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

LETTER OF MARQUISE DE FONTENOY

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SIR ROBERT DASHWOOD, whose family mausoleum in Buckinghamshire has just been subjected to desecration by unknown vandals, is erroneously described as the premier baronet of the realm. The latter dignity belongs to Sir Hickman Bacon, chief of the family to which the great Sir Francis Bacon, the lord high chancellor of England, belonged, and whose baronetcy dates from 1611. Sir Robert Dashwood's baronetcy was created nearly 100 years afterwards, in 1707, and, being the first baronetcy created after the union of the crowns of England and Scotland, is designated in "Burke's Peerage" by the misleading title of the "senior baronetcy of Great Britain."

There seems to be a sort of fate pursuing the Dashwoods, and it is in keeping with the stormy character of many of their lives that they should not be left undisturbed, even in death. Superstitious people are inclined to ascribe the troubles which have overtaken so many scions of this house to the wickedness of Sir Francis Dashwood, the second baronet, the creator of the mausoleum of the family, and who scandalized all England during the second quarter of the eighteenth century by his description of Medmenham abbey through the foundation there of the infamous "Hell Fire club."

In spite of all his villainies he managed to secure the office of chancellor of the exchequer, and died at an advanced old age as Lord Le Despencer, the barony of which he had inherited from his uncle, Lord Westmoreland. Leaving no legitimate issue, the peerage fell into abeyance at his death. He left, however, an illegitimate daughter, who, under the name of Fanny Antonina, furnished much material for the chroniques scandaleuses of the beginning of the nineteenth century, and who, wonderfully beautiful and clever, has been immortalized by De Quincy in a vivid character sketch under the title of "The Female Infidel."

The father of the present baronet died mysteriously at Paris in 1882. He was a victim of the alcohol habit, which reduced him to almost complete imbecility, and necessitated his being placed under restraint. His family, however, were reluctant to incur the publicity incidental to any commitment to a sanitarium, and so he was sent off to reside at Paris, in the charge of a keeper, with whom he lived in some wretched rooms in the Pantheon quarter of the gay metropolis. It used to be a pitiable sight to see the old man tottering about the streets of the French capital, almost in rags, accompanied by his keeper, who would follow him to the lowest taverns, where the few cents which he was daily allowed for the purpose would be spent in drink.

Sir Edwin died so suddenly that his family became convinced that he had been a victim of foul play, and instituted inquiries, which led to the arrest of the keeper. The magisterial investigation did not, however, go far. For before the second hearing came on the keeper committed suicide by hanging himself to the bars of the cell window.

The baronetcy was inherited by Edwin's eldest son and namesake, as eighth baronet, and his advent to the family honors and estates found him in New Zealand, where he had been leading an adventurous sort of hand to mouth existence as a gum digger, which is about the lowest form of labor in the antipodes. On this death, about ten years later, he left everything possible to his New Zealand born wife and to his daughter by her, now married to W. Selby Lowndes, being on bad terms with his younger brother and successor, the present baronet.

Of course litigation ensued, and among the most interesting features thereof was the suit between the widowed Lady Dashwood and her brother-in-law, the present baronet, with regard to the possession of the superb Gobelin tapestries, which constitute the glory of West Wycombe park, the ancestral home of the Dashwoods, in the county of Buckingham.

Lady Dashwood claimed them under her husband's will, whereas Sir Robert insisted that they were part and parcel of the entailed property, and as such inalienable by his brother. The judge, on learning that the tapestries had been specially woven for the room, to the walls of which they had been attached by battens for near 200 years, decided that they were a fixture of the manor house, and therefore part and parcel of the entailed property, and as such not alienable. The Dashwoods are an old Dorsetshire family, who flourished there in the reign of Queen Elizabeth. The fortunes of the family, however, may be said to have been founded by George Dashwood, who in the reign of King James I. became an alderman of the city of London. From him are descended the Dashwoods of Oxfordshire, who have likewise a baronetcy in their family, and an older one than that of Sir Robert. The wealth to which Sir Robert is the heir originates with George Dashwood's grandson, who became lord mayor of London, member of parliament, and who was the principal Turkey merchant of his day—that is to say, he virtually monopolized the trade between England and Turkey.

Inasmuch as the impending publication is announced of a volume of memoirs of the duchess de la Terre, whose husband, Marshal Serrano, was twice president of the Spanish republic, and on several occasions regent of the kingdom, and since the volume in question deals, it is said, with certain phases of his extraordinary career, it will be interesting to see whether she will include in these reminiscences any record of the extraordinary circumstances attending the demise of Serrano. The manner in which the duchess was wont to relate them to her friends used to create a deep impression, for they were of a decidedly uncanny nature.

It seems that for twelve months previous to Serrano's death he had been ill and unable to leave the armchair in which he spent both his days and his nights. At length, feeling that the end was drawing near, he sent his nephew, Capt. Gen. Lopez Dominguez, to the prime minister, Canovas, to request that his remains might be entombed in the grand old church of the Attoccha at Madrid, instead of in the cemetery outside the city walls.

The late King Alfonso II., mindful of the fact that Serrano had been the prime mover in his mother's overthrow in 1868, and had, moreover, been the most bitter opponent of his own restoration to the throne, declined to accede to the request, but declared that on Serrano's death he would remain at his suburban château of Pardo until after the funeral, so that nothing might interfere with the concession of full military honors to the remains of the famous marshal. For I must remark that, according to the laws of Spanish court etiquette, no military honors of any importance are allowed to be rendered to persons of nonroyal rank when the sovereign himself is in the capital, the theory being that when the monarch is in his residence all honors of whatsoever kind belong exclusively to him.

One day, when the dying marshal appeared to be in a state of almost complete collapse and on the point of death, he suddenly, to the astonishment of all present, rose unaided from his chair, straight and erect, and in tones more sonorous than he had ever used during his previous life, exclaimed:

"Quick! Send one of my aids at full gallop to the Pardo château. The king is dead."

Then he sank back exhausted in his arm chair. The duchess, his daughters, and all present thought he was delirious. A few minutes later he arose once more from his chair and in enfeebled, sepulchral tones exclaimed:

"My uniform; my sword. The king is dead."

These were the last words he uttered. He became unconscious immediately afterwards and breathed his last a few hours later, after having received the sacraments.

On the following morning all Madrid was startled to learn that the king had died suddenly, and almost entirely alone, on the day previous at the Pardo château. The vision of the death of the king seen by the dying marshal had therefore been true. No one of the Serranos, nor in fact anybody at Madrid, was aware that the king was ailing in the slightest degree at the time when the marshal announced the death of his most catholic majesty.

The king's corpse was brought from the Pardo to Madrid, on its way to the Escurial, and inasmuch as the funeral of the marshal took place while the dead king lay in state in the gloomy halls of his Madrilene palace, no military honors were accorded to Serrano. These were monopolized by his late sovereign, and the disposition of the troops on the occasion of the royal funeral was the one which the king had ordered and signed for the obsequies of Serrano.

A LINE-O'-TYPE OR TWO.

You were playing, sweet and low,
The old songs of long ago;
And the high lamp's crimson shade
Poured a softened light that made
Mystic shadows in your hair—
Shadows which were laughing there
As the shadows of the dawn
Leaped and laughed in days agone.

So you played—and so I dreamed
While the pranking firelight gleamed
In its race along the wall;
And I heard the boy days call
In the songs that thrilled my heart
With their subtly simple art—
As when practiced hands are swept
O'er a harp that long has slept.

Winding paths through meadowlands,
Brooks that sang on silver sands,
Bending branches of the trees,
Noontime chants of honeybees,
Drifting Indian summer haze,
Pelting snows of wintry days,
Wondrous stars that blazed above—
All this you knew nothing of.

Yet you played, and, playing, wrought
All the glories unforgot;
And the high lamp's ruddy glow
Where the glints swayed to and fro
Seemed some way to blend and blur
Into those fair days that were—
Led me backward, mile on mile,
To each golden olden while.

W. D. N.

NEWS OF THE THEATERS.

George Ade's Latest Play.

"Just Out of College," the latest play by George Ade, will come to Powers' next Monday night for a four weeks' engagement. Joseph Wheelock will be the star of the company presenting the piece, and he is said to have scored a success in the rôle of Edward Worthington Swinger, the young man who is just out of college and who possesses little save unlimited confidence in his own abilities and a large supply of what is best described as "cheek."

Swinger has fallen desperately in love with the daughter of one Septimus Pickering, head of the great pickle trust. He goes to the old man and coolly asks for the girl's hand. Pickering demands a list of the young fellow's available assets and these resolve themselves into three suits of clothes, a pair of shoes, a hat, and a few minor trifles. While this inquiry is in progress Mrs. Pickering, a self-satisfied, strong minded woman, puts in an appearance with a rival claimant for the hand of the daughter in the person of Henry Dalrymple Bliss, who believes in the religion of leisure.

Mr. Pickering does not take to the young man, however, and believes that of the two Swinger is the better man. He gives Swinger a check for $20,000 and bids him engage in business and report at the end of three months.

Swinger has met a Miss Jones, a young woman who holds a recipe for the making of Bingo pickles, and together they set going a manufactory which turns out quantities of the excellent pickles. The enterprise is billed "like a circus," and advertisements are to be seen everywhere. Shortly the Bingo pickles begin to push the trust article to the wall in spite of adverse methods and an attempt to crush them out of existence.

It finally dawns upon the pickle trust, at the head of which is Mr. Pickering, that this new rival is altogether too strong to be crushed, and the trust is forced to purchase it outright at a big price. The identity of the partners is then laid bare. In order to account for his sudden possession of the sum with which he started business Swinger has said that his aunt Julia has died and has left him the money. At a pure food exhibition, however, Aunt Julia appears and further adds to the complications.

The cast comprises a number of well known types such as book agents, insurance canvassers, ticket sellers, news stand girls, and walking delegates from trades unions. There are also college men who are trying to assist Swinger, and the usual friends of the girl in the case. In the end it is but natural that Swinger should get his lady love, and the comedy closes happily for all concerned.

Margaret Anglin in the New York success, "Zira," will come to the Garrick the second week in March for a fortnight engagement.

Robert Mantell is to appear in the Grand opera house the last week in February, and will present his complete repertory of Shakspearean plays, among them being "King Lear" and "Macbeth," in neither of which he has been seen here, and neither of which has been presented in Chicago in several seasons. "Othello," "Hamlet," "Richard III.," and "Richelieu" also will be given during his two weeks' stay.

Wright Lorimer, the young actor who has made such a remarkable hit with his production of a biblical play entitled "The Shepherd King," will be seen at McVicker's late in the season. The plan is to have him remain for a ten weeks' run.

In the second act of "Monna Vanna," in which Bertha Kalich appears at the Garrick next week, there is an effect of a moving caravan of soldiers, ox teams, cattle, and horses that is said to be one of the most perfectly managed things of its kind ever seen on the stage. The tread of men and animals and the sound of creaking wheels is perfectly produced, and the picture shown is mysterious and striking.

"The Good for Naught" is the title of the all Indian play which William Brady will produce at the Illinois during the four weeks' engagement there of Grace George. Only one performance will be given, however, it being understood that the manager's idea in bringing forward the drama now is merely to prove that he had the intention of presenting such a play. Other managers have conceived the same plan and are preparing to offer all Indian dramas.

Mr. Brady wishes to be the first in the field, and therefore has induced Miss George and her company to prepare "The Good for Naught" and produce it during the run here of "The Marriage of William Ashe." Mr. Brady also announces that "The Plain Man" will be presented by Mr. Lackaye during his engagement at McVicker's.

W. L. Hubbard.

London in Doubt of McLellan's Play.

London, Jan. 3, 3 a. m.—C. M. S. McLellan's new play, "The Jury of Fate," was produced at the Shaftesbury theater last night and had the advantage of good acting at the hands of Miss Lillah McCarthy, Henry B. Irving, and others; but owing to the novelty of the setting, which was in seven tableaux, and its melodramatic character, it had a doubtful reception, the gallery groaning and cheering simultaneously.

Mr. Irving tried to address the house at the close of the play, but, owing to the clamor, was obliged to content himself with thanking the audience and bidding it good-night.

The critics this morning devote unusually long notices to the performance. They admit the play has a great idea behind it, but consider that Mr. McLellan has not done himself justice.

Different Kinds of Dust.

Wife—"I don't see where in the world all the dust comes from."

Husband—"I do. But I don't see where in the world it all goes to."—Detroit Free Press.

CHINESE EMPIRE LIKELY TO FEEL THE MAILED HAND OF AMERICA.

Administration Will Reinforce Philippine Forces So That Troops Instantly Can Be Transported to Mongolian Country in Case of Uprising—Oriental Squadron Also Will Be Increased.

BY JOHN CALLAN O'LAUGHLIN.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 2.—[Special.]—The attitude of the Chinese toward foreigners and foreign interests generally has become sufficiently hostile to warrant preparations on the part of the various governments for the suppression of another demonstration such as that which occurred in 1900. The navy department had intended to order the battleship Oregon back to the United States, but in view of the threatening situation which has developed, instructions have been cabled to leave this vessel in the orient. There is no change in the purpose of the president to increase the battleship squadron in Asiatic waters by two vessels during the coming spring.

The Chinese situation was discussed at a cabinet meeting today and later in the afternoon Secretary Taft cabled Gen. Wood, commanding the military division in the Philippines, that he was to be reinforced in order that he might always have a strong detachment in readiness to proceed without delay to China in case American interests should be menaced. Two regiments of infantry and two batteries of field artillery are going from the United States at once and should reach Manila by March 1.

The administration does not anticipate an uprising before that date, but as an official said today, it is utterly impossible to predict when the Chinese may attack the foreigners. The only thing to do, he said, was to be ready, and this is the view of the president and the entire cabinet.

American Troops Fifty Hours Away.

The troops at Manila will be within fifty hours of Chinese territory, and if it should prove necessary to land a force in the southern part of the empire there will not be the long delay which would enable the Chinese to prepare for desperate resistance.

Should it prove necessary again to occupy Peking a different situation than that which has existed in the past would be created, as China has gathered in the province of Chi Li, wherein Peking is situated, a strong force of foreign drilled troops which have been maneuvering for the special purpose of adopting the best strategic plans for the protection of the imperial city.

The action of the administration in sending troops to the Philippines for service in China has led to preparation by congress in case conditions should require military operations. It would be comparatively an easy matter to occupy and hold Canton, for example. But the general staff here asks, What would be gained thereby? The Chinese government could go on without reference to what was occurring in this far off section of its territory.

If troops were sent to some seat in the populous valley of Yangtse Kiang still the government at Peking would not be affected vitally. So from the point of view of the general staff the reoccupation of Peking must be the objective of any plan of campaign adopted in a war with China.

This is not entirely the view of the diplomatic representatives of European governments here. They point out that awakened China would resent the occupation of any part of its territory, but particularly the old Chinese capital, Mankin, which is on the Yanktse Kiang river.

America Has Been Too Lenient.

One diplomat said today that the United States should send its battleships up the Yangtse Kiang for the purpose of protecting that stream. Forts along the river are equipped with modern rifles, which properly handled could do splendid execution, but in the hands of the Chinese gunners it is not believed that they would be able to do effective work. On the other hand, they would afford excellent target practice for the American ships.

"The United States has made the mistake," continued this diplomat, "of being too lenient with the Chinese and they have interpreted your policy as due entirely to weakness. Suppose the United States had suffered the indignities which have been heaped upon China. Suppose the city of Washington were garrisoned by detachments of troops belonging to China, Corea, Siam, which were strong nations, and Japan. Suppose Siam were to withdraw its troops. Would not the American people interpret this action as caused by a feeling of weakness and would they not say: 'Well, here is one nation we can treat as it deserves and we will do it.'

"Here you have the attitude of China in a nutshell. The experience of the western world with China has shown that only the policy of force creates respect in the Chinese mind. In order to safeguard foreigners and their property it will be necessary for the modern powers to resume what is known as the gunboat policy, but in this case battleships must be substituted for gunboats."

Chinese Government Is Weak.

The situation is further complicated by the recognized weakness of the Chinese government. The change which has occurred in the Chinese people has not tended to strengthen the position of the throne. If the government should be pressed too far it will have to resist or else be overthrown.

Official dispatches which have reached Washington from Peking credit the Japanese and Chinese students who have been studying in Japanese schools and who have returned home with half formed ideas of what western progress really means, with responsibility for the present situation. These students continue to establish newspapers all over the empire and to propagate anti-foreign ideas.

When the boycott was on against American goods other foreign nationalities in China did not conceal their satisfaction, but now they are much disgruntled over the fact that the boycott simply was the beginning of an anti-foreign demonstration.

Japanese advices indicate that the Nipponese are no more popular than are some of the other foreigners in spite of all they have done for China and their declarations of an intention to preserve the integrity of the vast empire. But it appears that the Chinese are recalling that Japan guaranteed the independence and integrity of Corea before the war with Russia, and that as a result of that war she began the absorption of the Hermit kingdom.

The recent Japanese mission which was sent to Peking to negotiate for the execution of a provision in the treaty of peace with Russia aroused China's suspicions by its demands for building railroads across Manchuria, which would have the effect of solidifying Japanese control over that province and providing a way for quick transportation of troops to Peking.

Japan in the Same Boat.

China recognizes that during the boxer revolt it was the Japanese who did most of the military work, because they were able to place the largest number of men in the field. It also is appreciated that in the new anti-foreign demonstration the Japanese again would be called upon to furnish the major portion of the forces invading the ancient empire. So China is as suspicious of Japan as she is of the rest of the world and is taking precautions accordingly.

Japan is displaying considerable interest in the policy of the United States in respect to the dispatch of troops to the Philippines. It is her ambition to be the first power of the far east, and she wants to demonstrate this superiority by being represented by the largest fighting force in any combined military expedition that the political situation in China may call for.

The United States will have available within the next few months a total of 20,000 men in the Philippines, half of whom will be available for service in China. Japan, of course, would be able to land as many men as she desired, and could hopelessly outnumber the forces not only of this but of the other countries.

It is the hope of Sir Chentung Liang-Cheng, the Chinese minister, that congress will adopt the recommendation of the president and that legislation will remove the hardships now imposed upon the Chinese subject visiting the United States by the exclusion law. It is understood that various manufacturing organizations throughout the country are joining in the movement to urge upon congress this policy.

Mailed Hand Is a Necessity.

It is doubtful, however, if any action will be taken, and the boycott will go on. But even should congress act and the boycott end the Chinese would consider that they at last had found a weak spot in the western armor, and they would continue the same tactics toward other nations, and the United States would suffer equally.

Secretary Metcalf of the department of commerce and labor insists that the immigration law is being enforced humanely, but in his opinion it would be preferable to forego all Chinese commerce than to give the Chinese the right of unrestricted entrance into the United States. If a larger discretion were invested in the department of commerce and labor it would be possible for the secretary to take measures which would relieve much of the friction existing between the two countries.

As an instance of some of the cases coming to the secretary's attention was cited the action of a San Francisco merchant, who recently returned from China accompanied by his wife, son, and alleged daughter. This merchant was entitled to entrance, and so was his family. The immigration inspector suspected that the girl was no relation to him, and questioned the little boy about his sister. "She is not my sister," was the answer. "She is a slave girl."

It developed then that the merchant was bringing in the girl to sell her for immoral purposes. The secretary would like to have turned her over to the mission in San Francisco, where she could have been taken care of, but against her will and to her great distress he will, under the law, have to return her to China.

So far as the administration is concerned it will insist that congress enact legislation defining more specifically the classes of Chinese which shall be admitted without question. But even if this legislation should be granted it is not believed that it will end the unfortunate attitude the Chinese have adopted toward the United States.

GREATEST TWO-CENT NEWSPAPER PRINTS MOST ADVERTISING.

The Chicago Sunday Tribune, as This Article from Newspaperdom Shows, Is the King of All High Class Advertising Mediums in This Country.

[From Newspaperdom.]

Once more THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE has demonstrated that it is the greatest carrier of advertising of any American newspaper with one or two exceptions. THE TRIBUNE has fully qualified its claim to being the greatest 2 cent paper in the world. Statistics on file in the offices of the editor of Newspaperdom prove that THE TRIBUNE "gets the business" all along the line—display, classified, and foreign; all of which goes to show that quality is a dominant factor in the making of the great and successful newspapers of today. THE TRIBUNE has, first, a 2 cent selling price; second, a high rate for its advertising.

At the time when all advertisers are making up their appropriations for the various sections of the country, an insight into THE TRIBUNE'S real advertising strength is decidedly appropriate—of profitable interest. For the last four Sundays of October last the big newspapers of the larger cities of the country printed these totals of advertising:

Name.	Display.	Class.	Total.
Chicago Tribune	167,960	174,863	342,822
Chicago Record-Herald	113,706	83,356	197,062
Chicago American	165,624	34,461	200,085
Chicago Inter Ocean	64,225	34,800	98,025
Chicago Chronicle	43,694	18,823	62,517
Philadelphia Inquirer	69,619	150,507	220,126
Philadelphia Record	60,969	57,508	118,476
Boston Globe	151,778	113,883	265,161
Cincinnati Enquirer	119,651	104,070	223,721

These figures all go to show that for the last four Sundays of October THE TRIBUNE carried nearly 100,000 agate lines over the next largest amount printed by the second largest carrier of display in the country. The figures for the first week in October are incomplete and cannot be given here. However, THE TRIBUNE averaged the same lead over all other Sunday newspapers for the first Sunday of that month.

It is almost inconceivable that any newspaper could print nearly 400,000 agate lines of advertising in four issues.

THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE has for many years held a unique place in the annals of newspaper making in this country. Not only is it a medium of the highest quality but its circulation is the largest of any 2 cent paper in the United States. THE TRIBUNE has the same standing in its city that the Herald has in New York. Only the better class of readers and advertisers patronize it, and it therefore has earned a reputation that places it second to none of our newspapers.

Although thoroughly conservative, THE TRIBUNE is an up to date newspaper. It has demonstrated by its continued patronage that the public recognizes and appreciates the value of its business methods. Year by year the circulation

IN THE SOCIETY WORLD.

REHEARSAL OF KIRMESS ON THE STAGE THIS EVENING.

Mrs. Palmer to Give a Dance for Young People on Friday — Invitations Issued for Third Annual Midwinter Cotillon—Miss Alice Venitia Hatch Married to Mr. James A. Nelson of Brooklyn—Woman's Athletic Club Issues New Year's Cards.

After several weeks of rehearsing in the basement of Orchestra hall for the kirmess to be given next Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday evenings, the members of the Dutch dance, the Indian dance, the dance of the seasons, and the dance of the hours will have a real, live rehearsal this evening on the stage. It will give the dancers a chance to feel the thrills which others have experienced when first facing a big auditorium, no matter whether any one is in the seats or not.

Some of the young women who are to be soloists at the kirmess declare they are certain to have stage fright, so that this rehearsal will enable them to wear off the first effects of it before the performances are given. It is said by professionals that costumes make parts easier to undertake, and if so the dress rehearsal Saturday night will calm the fear now felt. It is possible that should the costumes be finished in time there may be a dress rehearsal Friday night.

The seat sale for the kirmess is now in progress at the Orchestra hall box office, and there are still a few choice seats for the first night.

Mrs. Potter Palmer, 100 Lake Shore drive, will give a dance for young people Friday evening.

Invitations have been issued for the third annual midwinter cotillon to take place in the Auditorium banquet hall Friday evening, Jan. 29, at 9 o'clock. Answers may be sent to the midwinter cotillon committee not later than Jan. 23, care of the University club.

The marriage of Miss Alice Venitia Hatch, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Azel F. Hatch, to Mr. James A. Nelson of Brooklyn, N. Y., took place last evening at 6 o'clock at the Hatch residence, 19 Delaware place. Miss Helen Hatch was her sister's maid of honor and Mr. Maynard of Boston was best man. Few other than relatives were present to witness the ceremony and there was no reception. Mr. and Mrs. Nelson will travel for a time before going to Brooklyn to reside.

A small wedding of yesterday afternoon took place at the residence of Mrs. Ella Giffin, 436 Dearborn avenue, when her daughter, Miss Blanche Giffin, was married to Mr. Homer C. Chapin, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Chapin. The ceremony was performed at 4 o'clock, only relatives being present. Mr. and Mrs. Chapin will spend a month in Georgia on their wedding journey.

The Woman's Athletic club has issued attractive New Year's cards announcing its first dinner of the year, to take place Friday evening. There will be a musical program by the Handel quartet, with Mrs. Sanger Steele as soloist.

Dr. and Mrs. Frank R. Waters, 4800 Indiana avenue, gave a dinner New Year's day at which each guest was to tell a story (impromptu) from a subject given out by the hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. Moses J. Wentworth, 62 Lake Shore drive, are entertaining their niece, Miss Margaret Thayer of Concord, N. H. Miss Thayer was graduated from Bryn Mawr in June with the Misses Farwell, Miss Eleanor Mason, Miss Herrick, Miss Dudley, and several other débutantes of the season. Later she will visit Miss Farwell at Lake Forest.

Mrs. Waldo Richards will give a series of three recitals on Jan. 10, 13, and 18, the first at the residence of Mrs. Arthur Meeker, 1815 Prairie avenue, which will be a dramatic and dialect recital, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon; the second at the residence of Mrs. Ogden Armour, 3724 Michigan avenue, at 11 o'clock in the morning, when "The Song of Hiawatha" will be given; and the last at the residence of Mrs. George Payson, 88 Astor street, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon when a miscellaneous program will be offered. Miss Anne Shaw Faulkner has charge of the recitals, and the list of patronesses is an excellent one.

Miss Leota H. Sweet, 3647 Prairie avenue, will give a luncheon today for Miss Jessie Hag.

The annual reception and dance of the senior class of the John Marshall High school takes place tomorrow evening at Van Buren hall, Madison street and California avenue.

SOCIETY AT NATION'S CAPITAL.

Vice President and Mrs. Fairbanks Entertain Distinguished Party of Legislators and Diplomats.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 2.—[Special.]—Vice President and Mrs. Fairbanks gave a dinner party tonight, their guests being Senator and Mrs. Clarence D. Clarke, Senator and Mrs. Bailey, Mexican Minister to Cuba and Mme. Godoy, Representative and Mrs. Hill, Representative and Mrs. Khan, Representative and Mrs. Cooper, the Rev. Dr. and Mrs. Bristol, Mr. and Mrs. George Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. Jules Guthridge, and Mr. and Mrs. Warren Fairbanks. The latter, who came to Washington for the holidays, will remain with Vice President and Mrs. Fairbanks a week or ten days.

Secretary of War and Mrs. Taft were the hosts at a dinner party tonight. They had with them the German ambassador and Baroness Speck von Sternburg, Secretary of Commerce and Labor and Mrs. Metcalf, Justice and Mrs. Holmes, Assistant Secretary of State and Mrs. Bacon, Senator and Mrs. Lodge, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Parsons, Mr. and Mrs. Henry W. Taft, Mrs. Audenried, and Attorney General Moody.

Ambassador and Mrs. Whitelaw Reid, with Miss Reid, are expected in Washington tomorrow, where they will be the guests of Capt. and Mrs. William Sheffield Cowles until after the diplomatic reception at the White house Thursday night.

POLICE TO PROTECT PEDDLERS.

Mayor Insists on Arrest of Boys Who Torment Itinerant Salesmen in the Streets.

"Peddler baiting" on the part of street gamins has got to stop, according to Mayor Dunne, who started an investigation yesterday into the report that Justice Severson arbitrarily discharged a boy who had been arrested for attacking a peddler in the streets.

"That sort of thing must stop," said the mayor. "Chief of Police Collins has issued drastic instructions to the police to arrest all boys who throw stones at peddlers or in any way torment them. I don't want the police handicapped by prejudice or carelessness on the part of police magistrates."

This action was taken at the instance of the "United Peddlers' Protective agency," whose attorney, Samuel Micon, complained to the mayor that Justice Severson had discharged 14 year old "Bugs" Kraft who had been arrested for hurling stones at an old peddler named Kristy.

COLLECTION AGENCY IS SUED.

Mrs. Fannie T. Compton Demands $10,000 Because Constable Levied on Her Wedding Presents.

Mrs. Fannie T. Compton, who has sued the Spencer Collection agency, the firm of Heller & Benson, and Constable Bernard Muerhke for $10,000 damages, told a jury in Judge Brentano's court yesterday that Constable Muerhke, acting for the collection agency, entered her residence at 1588 Jackson boulevard Dec. 28, 1903, and levied upon her wedding presents, although arrangements had been made to pay the judgments upon which the execution had been secured by Heller & Benson, to whom the debt was due.

"I was alone in my house when the constable came in," Mrs. Compton said, "and though I pleaded for time in which to notify my husband he began to pack up my things and put them out in the street."

The goods were returned to the house by Constable Muerhke, but Mrs. Compton asks damages for the injury done her nervous system by the shock of the levy.

DIVORCES SECRETIVE MAN WHO WOULDN'T TELL INCOME

Mrs. Eunice St. Clair Martens Granted a Decree—Joseph Reynolds Says Wife Is Infatuated with a Singer.

Eunice St. Clair Martens, a teacher of singing with a studio in the Fine Arts building, was granted a divorce by Judge Mack yesterday from Christian F. Martens, who is said to have deserted her to accept a position as music teacher at Indianapolis, Ind.

Mrs. Martens said the trouble grew out of Martens' reticence concerning his business.

"I never could learn what his income was," declared Mrs. Martens.

Stage Cause of Separation.—Alleging that his wife, Ada Frisbie, is infatuated with Hal P. Wattles, a concert singer, and went on the professional stage to be near Wattles, Joseph H. Reynolds asked for a divorce. According to Reynolds, Wattles and Mrs. Reynolds are now living together at Reedsburg, Wis.

Tired of St. Joe Marriage.—Judge Pinckney has been asked to dissolve a St. Joseph marriage, in which the wife informed her husband after two days of married life that she did not love him. The complainant is Joseph Herbst, 1341 Michigan avenue, who was married to Elizabeth Herbst at St. Joseph, Mich., Sept. 19, 1903.

URGES "REFORM" OF THE JEWS.

Dr. Edwin J. Kuh Advises the Children of Israel to Intermarry with Christian Families.

Intermarriage with Christians and a general reform in the Jewish race were urged yesterday by Dr. Edwin J. Kuh, a prominent Jewish physician, in an address to the Chicago Woman's Aid society in Sinai temple, as necessary to the removal of anti-Semitic race prejudice in America. At his request the meeting was held behind closed doors.

"I want to have a little heart-to-heart talk with the women this afternoon," he said, "and I would rather not have any newspaper men in here."

The chief causes assigned by Dr. Kuh for the existence of prejudice against Jews in this country are unjustifiable devotion of Jews to members of their own race, an inordinate love for display, and a tendency toward vulgarity and "loudness" in social conduct.

Several of the club members discussed Dr. Kuh's views vigorously. Mrs. Charles Haas strongly opposed them.

"Of course race prejudice would be removed if we all married outside and became Christians," she said. "Many such marriages are happy, but the natural supposition is that the most happiness will come within one's own race.

"As for the love of display, that is a tendency of the time, and there's no reason why Jews should be expected to be immune to it any more than any other race."

SAILS THREE MILES IN AIRSHIP.

With Rudder Broken, Horace Eagle Makes Successful Trip in His New Flying Machine.

Horace B. Eagle took his airship up 300 feet into the air yesterday afternoon, starting at 3:45 o'clock. He flew from the Chicago avenue water works station to Erie and Robey streets in twenty minutes with a broken rudder and then descended safely.

Eagle intended to throw away a lot of checks, but he was so flustered over the accident to his rudder, which was broken at the water tower just as he was starting, that he forgot it.

"I couldn't see anything below me on account of the fog," said Eagle. "The wind was blowing thirty miles an hour, and—say, but it was cold. I could control the machine to some extent by shifting my weight."

The machine's flight was nor' by nor' west until it reached Ashland avenue and Division street. Then the wind took it southwesterly until L. E. Buckley grabbed the life line at 614 West Erie street.

Mrs. Eagle fainted after she kissed her husband good-by. He is going to try to fly again today.

HADLEY LIKES OPEN PLAY

YALE PRESIDENT INDORSES REFORM IN FOOTBALL.

Educator, Speaking at Dinner Given by Alumni, Says Game Needs More Sunlight to Make Trickiness Impossible and Declares Brutality Is Not the Foe of the Sport—Hopes to See University's Revenue Increased to Adequate Figure.

Football reform, including the introduction of a more open style of play, was indorsed by President Arthur T. Hadley of Yale university at the annual luncheon given him by the Yale club of Chicago at the Grand Pacific hotel yesterday noon. Some 125 alumni, with a sprinkling of undergraduates home for the holidays, were present to applaud his numerous references to the "Yale spirit." Preston Kummler, as "choragus," led the singing and cheering which interrupted every course.

After relating the changes which had taken place on the New Haven campus during the last year, President Hadley touched on football reform.

"The newspapers have had a great deal to say about the 'system' that wins games for Yale," he said, "but I am inclined to think it is something more than a 'system.' It is the Yale spirit. [Enthusiastic applause.] I was delighted to see it cropping out down at Baltimore this summer, where at a conference of four great scientific bodies, Yale captured one presidency and two vice presidencies against all the other institutions in the country.

Time for Football Reform.

"But I do think the time has come for football reform. I want to see a more open style of play. It is not because I think the open game is more interesting—we have all seen games where the close formations furnished all the excitement we needed [Laughter]—but because I want to see more sunlight let in upon that little group of men on the gridiron.

"Football's greatest evil is not its brutality, but the trickery and muckerism encouraged by the close formations. Let in publicity so that muckerism must go. It will help football just as it has helped the insurance business and civic life."

Hopes for Increased Revenue.

Turning to administrative matters, he declared that Yale professors might hope to find themselves "in comfortable circumstances."

"Through the Stokes endowment fund and the Yale university fund," he said, "we hope, after becoming clear of all indebtedness, to increase the salaries of the deserving members of the faculty. At present no strong man can serve Yale without considerable pecuniary sacrifice. That sacrifice we hope to mitigate in some measure by giving him a salary that will leave him comfortably situated and free from worry."

James B. Keogh, '85, presided at the luncheon. President Hadley left for Denver, Colo., at 6 o'clock last night to attend the twenty-fifth anniversary meeting of the Colorado Yale Alumni association.

PATIENT PLUNGES TO DEATH.

Anthony Vipzosky Jumps from Window of St. Mary of Nazareth Hospital and Is Killed.

Anthony Vipzosky, 33 years old, a patient at St. Mary of Nazareth hospital, Leavitt street and Haddon avenue, jumped from a fourth floor window of the hospital early yesterday morning and was killed. He had been taken to the hospital from his home, 147 McHenry street, delirious and suffering from typhoid fever.

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EFFORT BEGUN TO SAVE WASHINGTON PARK CLUB.

Meeting of Members Appoints Committee to See if $1,000,000 Can Be Raised by Subscription.

Steps were taken yesterday to preserve the grounds of the Washington Park club for racing, golf, and other purposes.

At a meeting at the Chicago Athletic club in the afternoon a committee was appointed to save the grounds from the fate of being divided into building lots. The plan in embryo is for the 1,000 members of the Washington Park club to subscribe $1,000,000, which it is believed will be sufficient to purchase the property, although the price that has been set on it is $1,500,000.

The meeting was called by Elliott Durand. There were present Lawrence Young, president of the club; Lawrence Heyworth, Harry J. Powers, Charles A. Stevens, Irving Hartz, William J. Hynes, John Cudahy, Evan A. Evans, and Elbridge Hanecy.

The stockholders," said Mr. Durand, "want the money and we want the club grounds. It would be a great mistake in my belief to allow this park to be cut up into building lots for which there is no demand. Chicago needs what every other city has—a driving park in the city."

The 100 stockholders who own the park belong to the club but they are not enthusiastic members. The committee was instructed to see what success could be achieved in soliciting subscriptions.

FINDS REFUGE IN GRAVE FROM JESTS OF COMPANIONS.

Reason for Suicide of 17 Year Old Earl Dean Found and the Murder Theory Practically Dispelled.

Extreme sensitiveness to jests at his stature and peculiar personality is held to be the cause for the suicide of Earl Dean, 17 years old, who was found Monday night with his head in the oven of a gas range, his hands and feet tied, and the gas flowing into the oven.

Doubt that he had taken his own life practically was dispelled yesterday by testimony at the inquest.

At the University of Chicago Press, where he had worked for the last six weeks as a shipping clerk, it was stated that he was the butt of many jokes.

J. C. McQuaid, the proprietor of a grocery at Fifty-fifth street and Monroe avenue, in whose employ Dean had been early last fall, declared that Dean objected to criticisms of his work.

"I found Dean to be an industrious boy, but inclined to believe that nearly everybody was down on him," he said.

Mrs. Dean still believes that her son was murdered and refused last night to accept the verdict of suicide. It is learned that the boy's mother is left with no means of support. The Members of the Hyde Park Methodist church have started a fund to defray the expense of taking the body to Russell, Pa., for burial.

WANTS WOMAN TO BE HANGED.

Prosecutor Barbour Will Ask Death Penalty for Effie Graham for the Murder of Eli Smith.

Assistant State's Attorney James Barbour, who is prosecuting Miss Effie Graham in Judge Kersten's court for the murder of Eli Smith, has announced that he will ask that the death penalty be inflicted if the woman is convicted. Miss Graham killed Eli Smith in a resort at 2119 Dearborn street on July 11, 1905.

"Although I cannot recollect of any case where a jury in Cook county was asked to send a woman to the gallows, in this case I am forced to do my duty and I shall ask that the death penalty be inflicted.

"The law makes no distinction between man and woman, and it provides for the death penalty unless mitigating circumstances are shown. In the present case we will show that the murder of Smith was a cold blooded crime. I understand that the defense intends to seek to show that Smith shot himself."

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Paul Piper

Note—This tour of the Bears has been gotten up specially for the children of the United States including Mr. Roosevelt's own boys and girls.

STOCK LIST MORE ACTIVE.

TRADING SHOWS INCREASED ANIMATION, BUT IN SPOTS.

Business in Steel, Union Pacific, and Amalgamated Reflects Increased Interest, but Recovery in Money Rate Induces General Throwing Over of Issues in Final Hour, Wiping Out Earlier Gains—Financial Pressure Less Acute.

[BY A SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 2.—[Special.]—The stock market today was broad and active, with plenty of evidence of strength, although the buoyancy was in spots and gave the market an irregular tone.

Some special effect was produced on sentiment by the manifest pressure upon the United States Steel stocks, Union Pacific, and Amalgamated Copper, which were influential leaders of last week's advance. The recovery in the money rate induced general throwing over of stocks in the final hour, which carried the average level below Saturday and wiped out many of the earlier gains.

The money situation was appreciably less acute than last week, but nevertheless the market was undeniably stringent. The rate opened at 50 per cent and there was small disposition to yield below 35 per cent. Belated borrowers made a late rate of 60 per cent. This was a distinct disappointment to the hopes of some of the boldest of last week's speculators.

The money situation in foreign markets, however, eased decisively. Discounts declined at London, Paris, and Berlin, sterling exchange rose at Paris and Berlin, and there was a sharp marking down in the price of gold in the London market. The Russian situation was considered improved, and continental money markets were relieved accordingly.

Bonds were irregular. Total sales, par value, $2,415,000. United States 3s, coupon, advanced ¾, while the old 4s, coupon, declined 1 per cent on call.

Money on call strong, 25@60 per cent; ruling rate, 35; closing bid, 50; offered at 60. Time money firm; 60 days and 90 days, 6 per cent; six months, 5½@5¾ per cent. Prime mercantile paper, 6 per cent; sterling exchange steady, with actual business in bankers' bills at $4.83@4.83.60 for demand and at 482.50@$82.55 for 60 day bills. Posted rates, 483@483½ and 486¼@487. Commercial bills, 482@482¾. Bar silver, 64¾c. Mexican dollars, 50c. Government bonds easy; railroad bonds irregular.

NEW YORK STOCK TRANSACTIONS.

Description.	Sales.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close. Jan. 2.	Dec. 30.
Allis-Chal.	1,000	22	22½	22	22½	22¼
Do pfd.	400	63	63	62¾	62¾	
Amal. Cop.	201,000	113¼	114¾	112¾	114¾	110¼
Am. B. Sugar.	400	84	84	83	83	84¾
Am. Car Fdy.	1,700	41¾	41¾	40¼	40¾	40¾
Do pfd.	100	100	100	100	100	100¼
Am. Cot. Oil.	7,000	39¼	39¼	38¾	38¾	38¾
Am. Grass.	300	104½	104½	101½	104½	103
Am. Hide.	1,400	9¾	9¾	9¼	9¼	9¼
Do pfd.	1,400	42	42	40	40	41¾
Am. Ice Sec.	15,800	35¾	38¾	35¼	37¾	35
Am. Loco.	9,500	77	77	74½	75¾	75¾
Do pfd.	1,100	117¾	118¾	117¾	118	117
Am. Steel Fdy.	2,700	15	15	14¾	14¾	14¾
Do pfd.	100	100	100	100	100	100¼
Am. Smelt.	12,500	169¾	169¾	167	167¾	168½
Do pfd.	800	129¾	129¾	129	129¼	129
Am. Sec. pfd B.	300	100¾	100¾	100¾	100¾	100¾
Am. Sugar.	31,500	140	142	138	142	139¾
Am. Tob. pfd.	1,400	105¾	106	105¾	106	106
Am. Woolen.	1,100	42¾	42¾	42	42	42¼
Anaconda.	96,300	206	208	203	208	203
Atchison.	89,100	89¾	91¾	89¾	89¾	89
Do pfd.	600	105¾	105¾	105¾	105¾	105
A. C. Line.	1,000	159	159	159	159	158
B. & O.	7,500	113¾	114	112¾	113	113¼
B. R. T.	9,300	89	89¾	87¾	87¾	88¾
Brunswick.	100	18¾	18¾	18¾	18¾	18¾
Can. Pac.	7,500	174¾	175	173¾	173¾	173¾
Cent. Lea.	1,400	45¾	45¾	45¼	45¾	45½
Do pfd.	500	104	104	104	104	104
C. of N. J.	900	223½	223½	223½	225½	
C. & O.	7,000	56¾	56¾	55¾	56	56
C. G. W.	300	30¾	30¾	30¾	30¾	30¾
C. & G. W.	2,500	21¾	21¾	21¾	21¾	21¾
Do pfd B.	100	35	35	35	35	35¼
C. M. & St. P.	18,300	181¾	183¼	181¾	183¼	181¾
C. & A. pfd.	1,700	221	222	220¾	220¾	222
Chi. Term.	300	14	14	13	13	
Chi. Un. Trac.	1,500	12¾	12¾	12¼	12¼	12¾
Do pfd.	700	42	42	41¾	41¾	42
C. C. C. & St. L.	1,600	107¼	108¼	105½	108¾	107¾
C. F. I.	5,600	56¾	59¾	55¾	59¾	56¾
Colo. South.	17,000	30¾	30¾	29¾	30¾	30¾
Do 1st pfd.	1,000	69¾	69¾	69¾	69¾	69¾
Do 2d pfd.	1,200	54¾	54	53	53¾	54¾
C. H. C. & I.	600	18	18	18	18	18¾
Con. Gas.	400	181	181	180¾	180¾	181
Corn Prod.	4,400	19	19	18¾	18¾	18¾
Do pfd.	900	60¾	60¾	59	59	61
D. & Hudson.	1,000	224	226¾	222	225¾	
D. L. & W.	500	460	460	460	460	
D. & R. G.	1,800	39	39¾	38¾	39¼	39½
Do pfd.	400	87¾	88	87¾	88	88
Del. Un.	300	95	95	95	95	
Erie Sec.	2,000	53¾	53¾	53¼	53¼	53¾
Eastman Kodak.	200	160	164	160	164½	
Erie.	35,100	48¾	49¾	48¾	48¾	48¾
Do 1st pfd.	1,100	81	81	80¾	81	81¼
Do 2d pfd.	700	71¾	71¾	71	71¾	
E. & T. H.	100	76	76	76	76	
Fed. Min.	100	13¾	13¾	13¾	13¾	13¾
Fed. Steel.	1,000	61	61	60	60	60
Gen. Chem.	77				110	
Gen. Elec.	2,600	178¼	178¾	177	177¼	177
Do rights.	2,200	3¾	3¾	3¾	3¾	3¾
Gt. Nor. pfd.	1,000	291¾	292¾	289¾	292¾	290¾
Hock. Valley.	200	115	118	115	118	117
Do pfd.	300	95	95	95	95	94
Ill. Cent.	1,000	144¼	144¾	143¾	144¾	143¾
Int. Paper.	3,800	23¾	23¾	22¾	23	23¾
Do pfd.	700	85¼	85¼	85	85	85
Int. Power.	1,000	61¼	61¼	60¾	61	60
Int. Pump.	100	27	27	27	27	
Do pfd.	200	80	80	80	80	
Ia. Cent.	4,400	29¾	30¾	29¾	30¾	29¾
Do pfd.	1,400	59¾	59¾	59	59¾	59¾
K. & Mich.	1,200	57	58	57	58	
K. C. So.	15,000	35	36¼	35	35	34¾
Do pfd.	2,500	67¼	67¼	67¼	67¼	67¼
Knick. Ice.	6,300	63	65¼	63	65¼	62¾
L. E. & W.	100	40	40	40	40	
Long Island.	100	68	68	68	68	
L. & Nashv.	12,900	152¼	153¾	151¾	153¼	152
Man.	100	161¼	161¼	161¼	161¼	162¼
Met.	5,300	124¾	125¾	123¾	125¾	124¾
Do Sec.	5,100	73¾	73¾	72¾	72¾	74
Mex. Cent.	3,100	23¾	24¼	23	23¾	23¾
M. K. & T. & S.S.M.	3,400	144¾	145¾	143¾	145¾	143¾
Do pfd.	1,300	176	176	174	174	175
M. & St. Louis.	200	81¾	81¾	81¾	81¾	81¾
Mo. Pac.	6,500	104¾	105¾	103¾	105¾	104¾
M. K. & T.	2,400	37	37¾	37	37	37¾
Do pfd.	500	70	70¾	70	70¾	71¾
Nat. Enamel.	400	17¾	17¾	17¼	17¾	17¾
N. C. & St. L.	1,000	147	148	147	148	147
Nat. Bis.	3,800	69	69	67¼	67¾	68¾
Nat. Lead.	1,200	83	83	82¾	82¾	83¾
N. Y. Air Brake.	1,900	152¾	163	150	162	161¾
N. Y. Cent.	4,700	152¾	153¾	151	151¾	153¾
Do rights.	2,300	1	1	1	1	1
N. Y. C. & St. L.	900	69	69	69	69	69¾
Do 2d pfd.	200	88	89	88	89	
N. Y. Dock.	600	34	34¾	34	34¾	
N. Y. Out. & W.	1,700	97	97	97	97	96
N. Y. O. & W.	3,700	52¾	53	52¾	52¾	52¾
Norf. & W.	22,400	85¾	86¾	85¾	85¾	85
North Am.	2,000	98¼	98¼	98	98	98¼
Nor. Pac.	1,700	204¾	204¾	203	203	204¾
Pac. Mail.	600	48	48	47¾	47¾	48¾
Pennsylvania.	44,100	144¾	145¾	143¾	144¾	143¾
Peo. Gas.	12,500	101	103	100¾	102	101
Pitts. Coal.	200	15¾	15¾	15¾	15¾	15¾
Pressed Steel.	1,100	55¾	55¾	54¾	55¾	55¾
Do pfd.	200	244	244	243	243	
Ry. Steel Spg.	5,000	61¾	61¾	60¾	60¾	61
Do pfd.	100	104¾	104¾	104¾	104¾	105
Reading.	230,900	138	143¾	139	141¾	138¾
Do 1st pfd.	100	92¾	92½	92¾	92¾	
Do 2d pfd.	600	86¾	86¾	86¾	86¾	86¼
Rep. I. & S.	6,900	24	24¾	23¾	24¾	24
Do pfd.	3,200	107	107	106½	107	
Rock Island.	5,900	24¾	24¾	23¾	24	24¼
Do pfd.	2,200	62¾	63	62¾	62¾	62
St. Joseph.	400	42	42	42	42	
St. J. & G. I. 1st.	100	62¾	62¾	62¾	62¾	65
St. L. & S. F. 2d.	300	47¾	47¾	47¾	47¾	48¾
St. L. & S. W.	3,400	27	27¾	26¾	27¾	26¾
Do pfd.	1,500	56¾	56¾	56¾	56¾	56¾
Shou. Shef.	1,000	90	90	88	88	89½
South. Ry.	5,500	26¾	27	26¾	27	26¾
South. Ry. pfd.	75,800	36	37¾	35¾	37¼	35¾
Do pfd.	300	100¾	100¾	100	100¾	100¾
Tenn. Coal.	1,200	135	135	135	135	131¾
Tex. Pac.	700	33¾	33¾	33¾	33¾	33¾
Tex. Land.	2,200	64¾	66¾	64¾	66	65¾
Third Ave.	3,500	128	128	125	125	128
Tol. Ry.	400	32¾	32¾	32¾	32¾	
Tol. St. L. & W.	100	35¾	35¾	35¾	35¾	36¾
Do pfd.	100	57	57	57	57	57¾
Twin City.	400	117¼	117¼	117¼	117¼	117¼
Union Bag la.	200	14	14	13¾	13¾	14
Do pfd.	100	104	104	104	104	104
Union Pac.	133,100	150¾	155¾	148¾	148¾	150¾
Do pfd.	200	99¾	99¾	99	99	99¾
United Fruit.	300	130	130	130	130	130
United Ind.	500	87¾	88¾	87	87	88¾
Do pfd.	300	85¾	85¾	85¾	87	88¾
United St. L. pfd.	200	85¾	85¾	85¾	85¾	85
U. S. Pipe.	4,000	34	34¾	33¾	34	34¾
Do pfd.	9,800	94	95¾	93¾	95	94¾
U. S. Realty.	100	80¾	80¾	80¾	80¾	
U. S. Rubber.	2,800	53¾	54¾	53¾	54¾	53¾
Do 1st pfd.	500	109¼	110	109¼	110	109¾
Do 2d pfd.	2,900	83	85	83	84½	
U. S. Reduct.	5,000	33¾	34	33¼	34	
Do pfd.	1,000	70¾	70¾	70¼	70	
U. S. Steel.	100,800	43¾	45¾	42¾	42¾	43¾
Do pfd.	28,900	107	107¾	106¾	106¾	107¾
Va. Coal.	100	50¾	51¼	50¾	51¼	50¾
Va. Car. Chem.	11,500	57	58	56¾	57	56¾
Do pfd.	300	117¾	117¾	117¾	117¾	117
Vulcan Det. pfd.	100	93	93	93	93	
Wabash.	1,400	20¾	20¾	20¼	20¾	20¾
Do pfd.	4,000	41	41¾	40¾	40¾	41
West. Md.	4,400	32¾	32¾	32¼	32¾	32¾
West. Union.	400	93	93¾	92	93¼	93¾
W. L. E.	300	18¾	18¾	18¾	18¾	18¾
Do 1st pfd.	100	87	87	87	87¼	87¾
Do 2d pfd.	400	26¾	26¾	26¾	26¾	26¾
Wis. Cent.	400	28¾	28¾	28¾	28½	28¾
Do pfd.	200	61	61	61	61	60¾

Total, 1,331,100 shares.

EXPRESS STOCKS.

Adams	23@249	United States	118@125
American	226@227	Wells-Fargo	231@247

GOVERNMENT BONDS.

U. S. 2s reg.		102¾@103¾	
U. S. 2s cpn.		102¾@103¾	
U. S. 3s reg.		102¾@103¾	
U. S. 3s cpn.		102¾@103¾	
U. S. 4s small.		102¾@103¾	
U. S. 4s reg.		103 @103¾	
U. S. 4s cpn.		103¾@104	
U. S. 4s new reg.		130¾@131¾	
U. S. 4s cpn. new		130¾@131¾	
D. C. 3.65s.		118 @	
Philippine 4s.		102¾@103¾	

NEW YORK BOND SALES AND QUOTATIONS

—10 A. M. TO 3 P. M.

$000 Jap 4s.	87½	$30000 do 1st inc	24¾@25¼
60000 do 4½s.	92¾@93	$000 do 2d inc.	19
124000 do 2d 4½s.	82¾@83	$000 M. L. S.-W. 1st 6s.	126¾
5000 do 6s.	89¾@7¼	1000 M.-St. L. 1st 5s.	118
310000 do 2d 6s.	98¾@99	6000 M. K.-T 4s.	100¾
1000 U. S. of M. 4s.	82¾	4000 do 2d 4s.	86¾
2000 Va. 6s. B. B.	115	1000 Mo. Pac cons.	123¾
2000 Am. Hide 6s.	95¾	2000 do 4s.	93¾
21000 Am. Ice 6s.	87¾	$9000 C.-St. L. 1st.	115¾
163000 Am. Tob. 4s.	80¾@7¼	10000 Nat. R. R. M. 4s.	85
25000 do 6s.	114¾@115	$6000 N. Y. C. 3½s.	98¾
17000 Atch. conv. 4s.	102¾@103¾	14000 do L. S. 3½s.	90¾
59000 do g. m. 4s.	102¾@103¾	20000 N. Y. C.-St. L.	104¾
12000 do adj. 4s.	94¾@95	1000 NYDock 1st 4s.	97
11000 do stamp.	94¾	7000 N. Y. L. E.-W. con. 5s.	113¾
28000 A. C. L. 1st 4s.	101¾	3000 N. P.-D.-W. 4s.	102¾
*21000 B.-O. 3½s.	94¼@7¼	2000 Norf.-W. 4s.	101¾
10000 do 4s.	103@7¼	20000 do P. 4s.	94½
4000 do S. W. 3½s.	91¾	2000 No. Pac. 4s.	104¾@7¼
*6000 B. R. T. 4s.	97¾	*3000 do 6s.	115
2000 do 5s.	108	4000 O. S. L. 1st 4s reg.	96
17000 B. U. Elev. 1st.	111¼@112	*8000 do 5s.	117¾
*5000 Can. So. 1st 5s.	101	8000 Pac. of Mo. 1st 4s.	104¾
5000 Cent. R. Mo. P. 1st 4s.	97½	4000 Pa. conv. 3½s.	103¾@104
1000 C. of Ga. 2d inc.	82	6000 do conv. rects.	99½
47000 Cent. Leather 5s.	106¾@101¾	1905.	
10000 Cent. Pac. 1st fdg. 4s.	101¾	25000 P. C. C.-St. L. 3½s.	94@7¼
85000 C.-O. 4s.	106@7¼	*70000 Rdg. g. m. 4s.	90¾@7¼
1000 do 5s.	118½	3000 Rio G. W. 4s.	97½
*25000 C. B.-Q. 4s.	96¾@100¾	5000 Rome W.-O. cons.	116
2000 do 5s.	106¾	*12000 St. J.-G. I. 4s.	92¼
*1000 do Ills. 3½s.	84¾	*3000 St. L.-I. M. 4s.	92¾
5000 do Neb. ext. 4s.	106	29000 do 5s.	119¼@7¼
*1000 C. I.-L. 6s.	132¾	*8000 St. L.-S. F. fdg. 4s.	85¾
1000 C.-N. W. 3½s.	100	2000 St. L. S. W. con.	81
*5000 C. R. I.-P. Ry. 4s.	103	*108000 S. A.-A. P. 4s.	87¼@7¼
52000 do R. R. 4s.	79¾@80	36000 S. A. L. 4s.	89¼@90
5000 do fdg. 4s.	95¾	4000 So. P. col. 4s.	94
10000 do col. 5s.	89	*2000 do fdg. 4s.	91¾
1000 C. F. I. g. m. 5s.	104	11000 Colo. Ind. 5s.	78½
11000 Colo. Ind. 5s.	78½	91000 do R. 5s.	77¾@7¼
91000 do R. 5s.	77¾@7¼	*19000 Colo. Mid. 4s.	74¾@7¼
*19000 Colo. Mid. 4s.	74¾@7¼	5000 Col. So. 4s.	93¾
5000 Col. So. 4s.	93¾	5000 Con. Tob. 4s.	80¾
5000 Con. Tob. 4s.	80¾	21000 Dis. Sec.	82¾@83
21000 Dis. Sec.	82¾@83	70000 Erie conv. 4s.	107¾@108¾
70000 Erie conv. 4s.	107¾@108¾	*5000 do g. m. 4s.	91¾@7¼
*5000 do g. m. 4s.	91¾@7¼	7000 do P. col. 4s.	95¾
7000 do P. col. 4s.	95¾	*1000 Erie-Pitts. ser. B.	96¼
*1000 Erie-Pitts. ser. B.	96¼	2000 F. W. & C. 1st.	113
2000 F. W. & C. 1st.	113	3000 G. N. B. 5s.	20
3000 G. N. B. 5s.	20	1000 Ill. Cent. 4s.	105¾
1000 Ill. Cent. 4s.	105¾	1953.	
3000 Int. Pap. 6s.	110¼	3000 Int. Pap. 6s.	110¼
2000 Int. Cent. 4s.	90	2000 Int. Cent. 4s.	90
1000 K. C. F. S. M. 4s.	87	1000 K. C. F. S. M. 4s.	87
3000 K. C. So. 3s.	73¼	3000 K. C. So. 3s.	73¼
1000 Lack. Steel 5s.	106½	1000 Lack. Steel 5s.	106½
*10000 L. S.-W. 2d 5s.	113¼	*10000 L. S.-W. 1st 5s.	113¼
13000 L. S.-M. S. 4s.	101¼@7¼	20000 W. Shore 1st 4s.	107¾@7¼
14000 N. Y. Cent 4s.	103	10000 do 1st 4s reg.	106¾@7¼
*2000 do Sc. Ry 4s.	96	1000 W. U. 4½s.	104½
1000 Met. St. fdg. 4s.	90¾	4000 W. U. E. col. 4s.	91½
*18000 Mex. C. con. 4s.	78¾@79	*2000 Wis. Cent 4s.	92¾@7¼

*Ex. Int.

Total sales, $2,249,000.

IN THE NEW YORK MARKETS.

NEW YORK, Jan. 2.—The dry goods market today had not recovered from the effects of the holidays, and nothing of importance was done to start the new year. Prices were firm and unchanged.

Metals—There was a sharp advance in London tin. Locally the market was quiet, with spot quoted at $35.65@36.00. Copper was also higher abroad, closing at £79 15s for spot and £79 7s 6d for futures. Lake and electrolytic are quoted at $18.75@19.00 and casting at $18.37½@18.87½. Lead was unchanged. Spelter was also higher in London, but remained unchanged at $6.50@6.60 here. Iron was higher abroad, closing at 53s 7d for standard warrants and at 54s 10½d for Cleveland warrants. Locally the market was firm and unchanged. No. 1 foundry, northern, is quoted at $18.75@19.25; No. 2 foundry, northern, at $18.25@18.85; No. 1 foundry, southern, at $18.50@18.75; No. 2 foundry, southern, at $18.00@18.25.

Butter—Firm; receipts, 5,123 pkgs; street price, extra creamery, 25@26c; official price, creamery, common to extra, 16@25c; state dairy, common to extra, 16@22c; renovated, common to extra, 15@20c; western factory, common to firsts, 15@17¼c; western imitation creamery, extras, 19¼@20c; do firsts, 18@19c.

Eggs—Easy; receipts, 9,271 cases; state, Pennsylvania and nearby fancy selected, white, 33@34c; do choice, 30@32c; do mixed, extra, 29@30c; western, firsts, selected, 27c; do firsts, 26c; southerns, 20@26c.

Poultry—Alive firm; western chickens, 12c; fowls, 14c; turkeys, 15c. Dressed quiet; western chickens, 8@16c; turkeys, 12@20c; fowls, 9@12¼c.

POULTRY AND GAME.

Live turkeys	9@11c	Dressed ducks	10@13c
Live chickens	11c	Live ducks	11c
Spring chickens	11c	Dressed turkeys	16@17½c
Live geese, per doz.	$6.50@7.50	Dressed chicken	11@11¼c

DAIRY PRODUCTS.

Eggs, extra fine, 30 per case	Fresh	19@22c	
Do prime first	25c	Packing stock	15@15½c
Do at mark, general receipts, cases included	18@23c	Cream. twins	11½@13¾c
Do storage packed	18½c	Do dairies	13c
Cooley's	20c	Do limburger	11@11½c
Creamery extra	24¼c	Do Swiss, block	12¾@13½c
		Do round	12¾c
		Do brick	12@12½c

FRUITS.

Oranges, box	$2.00@3.25	Do Kings, per brl	$4.25@4.50
Pears, per brl	$1.00@2.50	Lemons,	$2.75@3.85
Grapefruit	$3.00@3.85	Bananas, per bunch	75c@1.75
Apples, 1 bu.	$1.00@2.75	Cranberries, Cape Cod, per brl	$11.00@14.00

VEGETABLES.

Celery, box	40c@$1.25	Do leaf, cases	80c
Turnips, sacks	60@75c	Onions, bu.	50c@60c
Cabbage, new, crates	$1.25@1.75	Cucumbers, per doz.	$1.00
Potatoes, bu.	55@60c	Tomatoes, per case	$1.25@1.50
Do sweets, per brl	$1.00@2.50	Pumpkins, doz	50@75c
Lettuce, heads, per brl	$2.00@3.00	String beans, hampers	$2.00@2.50
		Pea beans	$1.60

REAL ESTATE NEWS AND TRANSFERS.

St. Francis Xavier female academy, at Evans avenue, Forty-ninth and Fiftieth streets, has bought the entire block of ground just east of the academy on the opposite side of Evans avenue, extending through to Cottage Grove, between Forty-ninth and Fiftieth streets. The property was purchased from a number of different owners and the total consideration is said to be between $125,000 and $150,000.

Title was taken first by William F. Grower, the first purchases dating back to January a year ago and extending through to last December. He then conveyed to the Equitable Trust company, which had made advances to the academy, and nine of these deeds were filed for record yesterday. The recent trouble of the trust company is thought to have hastened the filing of the deeds. There was one deed direct from Mr. Grower to the academy.

While the academy ultimately may improve the property, present plans contemplate its use for a pleasure ground. The transaction is of interest as removing from the market the largest piece of vacant property on Cottage Grove avenue.

Sale on State Street.

Carl Buhl of the Schoenhofen Brewing company has bought from Charles Stein the property at 519 State street, north of Harmon court, for $25,000. The ground fronts 20 feet, with a depth of 137½ feet to the elevated road, and the improvements consist of a three story building. Hibbard Porter & Bro. represented Mr. Buhl, and Draper & Kramer Mr. Stein in the transaction.

More Flats in Drexel Boulevard.

A new $100,000 apartment building is to be erected in Drexel boulevard at the southwest corner of Fiftieth street. Charles E. Bartley has just bought from George W. Stewart the ground fronting 100 feet with a depth of 240 feet for $45,000 and has started excavating for the building, which is to be a high grade structure with apartments of nine, ten, and twelve rooms.

Boston Store Bond Issue.

The trust deed securing the bond issue of $700,000 made by the Western Trust and Savings bank to Mrs. Charles Netcher in connection with the construction of the new Boston store was filed for record. The issue is called the Charles Netcher building first mortgage 5 per cent gold bonds and it matures in ten years from Jan. 1, 1906. It is secured by the leasehold interest and building at 77-87 Madison street.

Real Estate Transfers.

LAKE VIEW.

Irving-av., 175 s of Cornelia-st., e f, 50x124, Dec. 28, 1905 [A. Schech to Alex. C. Platzke] ..... $ 2,000

Lakewood-av., 250 n of Belmont, w f, 50x123, March 10, 1903 [estate of M. E. McDowell to Emilia Horine] 7,250

Paulina-st., 89 n of Irving Park-av., e f, 50x165, incumb. $12,000, Dec. 29, 1905 [Mary A. Snyder to Henry N. Schlanger] 20,000

Warner-av., 50 e of Leavitt-st., n f, 25x125, Dec. 26, 1905 [Peter Schmitz to Michael and Anna Maria Hendle] 1,550

JEFFERSON.

47th-st., 200 n of Humboldt-av., w f, 25x124½, Dec. 28, 1905 [John H. Pinderski to William Fischer] 1

Same ppty., Dec. 28, 1905 [Barbara Fischer to John H. Pinderski] 1

NORTH CHICAGO.

Sedgwick-st., 440 n of Schiller, w f, 45x204 1-3, Jan. 10, 1904 [Charles Gross to Fred Busse] 7,000

SOUTH CHICAGO.

Center-av., 72 n of 32d-st., e f, 24x124, Dec. 28, 1905 [Julius Breckwoldt to Robert and Emma Boske] 2,000

Lumber-st., 463 s w of 22d, e f, 150x120, [F. R. Babcock to Abby K. Babcock] 9,000

HYDE PARK.

Anthony-av., 241 n of 93d-st., n e f, 25x135, Dec. 28, 1905 [C. E. Larsen et al., by M. in C., to Jerry Keneally] 1,150

Cottage Grove-av., 498 s of 50th-st., e f, 132x247, Nov. 28, 1904 [William F. Grower to Equitable Trust company] 1

Cottage Grove-av., 388 n of 50th-st., e f, 110.6x110, Jan. 11, 1905 [heirs of William H. Colvin to William F. Grower] .. 15,484

Same ppty., Jan. 12, 1905 [William F. Grower to Equitable Trust company] 1

Cottage Grove-av., 102 n of 50th-st., e f, 57x120; Cottage Grove-av., 254 n of 50th-st., e f, 122x120, Jan. 16, 1905 [Clinton F. Soper to William F. Grower] 29,250

Same ppty., Jan. 26, 1905 [William F. Grower to the Equitable Trust company] 1

Cottage Grove av., 159 n of 50th-st., e f, 70x120, Nov. 7, 1905 [Mary Keep Otis to William F. Grower] 15,000

Same ppty., Nov. 23, 1905 [William F. Grower to the Equitable Trust company] .. 1

Cottage Grove-av., n w cor 50th-st., e f, 102x247, Jan. 16, 1905 [heirs of John M. Dowling to William F. Grower] 18,000

Same ppty., Feb. 14, 1905 [William F. Grower to the Equitable Trust company] .. 1

Evans-av., 159 n of 50th-st., w f, 50x146.70, Nov. 28, 1904 [William F. Griffin to William F. Grower] 2,500

Same ppty., Nov. 28, 1904 [William F. Grower to the Equitable Trust company] .. 1

Evans-av., 209 n of 50th-st., w f, 25x146.70, Dec. 14, 1904 [the Chicago Home for Incurables to William F. Grower] 1,500

Same ppty., Dec. 16, 1904 [William F. Grower to the Equitable Trust company] .. 1

Evans-av., 234 n of 50th-st., w f, 132x146.70, ex part for Evans-av., July 27, 1905 [Arthur G. Snydacker to William F. Grower] 1

Same ppty., Dec. 23, 1904 [William F. Grower to the Equitable Trust company] .. 1

Evans-av., 366 n of 50th-st., w f, 132x187, Dec. 5, 1904 [James Lavin to William F. Grower] 6,630

Same ppty., Dec. 5, 1904 [William F. Grower to the Equitable Trust company] .. 1

Lee-av., 350 s of 49th-st., w f, 50x204, Nov. 4, 1905 [D. B. Fisk & Co. to Elijah C. Wood] 9,375

Prairie-av., 189 n of 40th-st., e f, 50x161, incumb. $3,000, Dec. 29, 1905 [Jonah S. Stovel Jr. to Henry H. Parrott] 6,000

South Chicago-av., 254 s e of Commercial-av., n e f, 25x130, incumb. $2,500, Dec. 4, 1905 [Mrs. Stella Sibert quitclaims to Harry H. Burmeister] 2,500

LAKE.

Lincoln-st., 209 s of 48th, e f, 25x124, Dec. 29 [F. Kolasinski to W. Nowaczyk] ... 2,200

WEST CHICAGO.

Clifton Park-av., bet. 17th and 18th-sts., e f, 30x125, Sept. 20 [G. Newkirk to Margt. Bliz] 1,825

Division-st., 215 w of Washtenaw-av., s f, 25x122, Dec. 28 [Arthur Jackel to Chas. Moichin] 1,500

Emerson-av., 140 w of Leavitt-st., s f, 24x90, Dec. 18 [Eliza L. Gates to Clara Murray] 2,500

Fillmore-st., 216 w of Douglas-blvd., s f, 25x124, Dec. 23 [John De Cla

TIME TABLES.
ERN ROADS.
†Ex. Saturday. ‡Ex. Sunday.
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Burlington &
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ation. Telephone Main 577.
City ticket office, telephone
Clark-st., corner Adams.
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ity, St. Joseph,
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ILWAUKEE AND
L RAILWAY.
dams-st. Phone Harrison 3843.
Union Passenger Station, Adams
Main 2123.
December 31, 1905. Arrive.
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rd, Janesville..... † 9:30 pm
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and Tomahawk. † 11:40 am
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† 8:00 pm
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and, Dubuque, Cedar } † 1:45 pm
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ockford } † 10:25 am
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Dubuque, St. Paul, } † 6:55 pm
Iowa, Minnesota..... } * 7:45 am

nwest Limited.
ckford, Beloit, Moline, } * 8:20 am
ed. Davenport, Ottumwa.
Sioux Falls ¶..... * 8:45 am
Night Train..... † 9:30 pm
d Madison..... † 10:10 am
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Pioneer Limited.
ee, St. Paul, Minneapolis * 9:00 am

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Des Moines, San Francisco, } * 9:25 am
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oline, Rock Island, Daven- } * 7:45 am
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nee, Sioux City, Dubuque, } † 9:20 pm
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Bay, Iron Mountain, } * 7:00 am
on, Marquette..... } * 9:25 pm
gon, Star Lake..... † 7:00 am
Minocqua..... * 7:00 am
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EAT WESTERN RY—MAPLE
Grand Central Station, 5th-av. and
ifics, 115 Adams-st. Phone Kinz.
Leave. Arrive.
Paul, Kan- } * 8:45 am * 9:35 pm
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s, DeKalb. * 5:45 pm * 7:45 am

EASTERN ROADS.
LAKE SHORE
La Salle St. station, (Van Buren and
La Salle-Sts.) 31st St. and Englewood.
City Ticket Office, 180 Clark St.
LEAVE ARRIVE
d New York * 7.00 am † 7.00 pm
o Special..... * 8.00 am * 7.30 am
ston Special.. * 7.50 am
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Limited..... * 2.30 pm * 6.30 am
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ress..... * 1.45 pm * 11.59 am
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, Columbus,
and the East * 8.30 pm * 7.10 am
d New York * 10.30 pm * 9.00 pm
..... * 5.00 am.....
MICHIGAN CENTRAL
Central Station 12th St. and Park
Row, 22nd St., 39th St., Hyde Park,
63d St. City ticket office, 119 Adams St.
LEAVE ARRIVE
..... * 5.00 am † 7.40 pm
press..... * 7.10 am † 6.00 pm
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ton Special... * 10.30 am * 2.55 pm
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Eastern Exp.. ex 3.00 pm * 9.10 pm
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Limited..... * 5.30 pm ex 8.20 am
Nor. Michigan † 5.30 pm * 4.50 pm
ty Express.... * 10.00 pm * 7.30 am
..... ex 11.55 pm ex 7.30 am
Nor. Michigan * 11.55 pm * 7.15 am
ills.
BIG FOUR ROUTE
Central Station, 12th St. and Park
Row, 22nd, 39th, 53rd and 63rd Sts.
City Ticket Office, 238 Clark St.
LEAVE ARRIVE
Cincinnati.... * 9.00 am * 5.30 pm
..... † 9.00 am † 5.30 pm
ashington.... † 1.00 pm † 5.40 pm
layville..... * 8.40 pm * 7.10 am
Cincinnati..... * 8.30 pm * 7.10 am

VANIA LINE—CHICAGO UNION
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Leave. Arrive.
Alliance.... † 7.00 am *8.00 am
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MORE MONEY FOR WHEAT

BUYERS FORCE A QUARTER OF A CENT ADVANCE.

Some Improvement in Milling Demand and Flour Business, Rain in Argentina, and Lighter Russian Shipments Bull Items Which Offset Large Northwestern Receipts and Big Increase in Visible Supply—Corn Firm.

Stronger cash markets southwest and northwest, the suggestion of an improvement in the flour demand at Minneapolis, light Russian shipments of wheat, an advance of ⅝@¾d in Liverpool on that account, and reports of more wet weather in Argentina to delay harvests and injure quality of the new crop were the important items on the bull side of the wheat market's ledger. They were the basis of considerable local buying and an advance of ¼c in the May price to 88¼c. The market was ½c higher at best, but did not hold all the gain, yielding under scattered commission selling. January was relatively firm, gaining ½c, but was still 4½c under the May at the close.

Against the bull items on the balance sheet were continued liberal receipts in the northwest, snow in the southwest, which was favorable for the growing crop, an increase in the visible supply of 2,484,000 bu, nearly three times that of a year ago, and a dull demand in the local cash market.

Local millers were fair buyers, however, of the carlot arrivals, and there were sales of 15,000 bu besides to the outside millers, including 5,000 bu No. 2 red at 1c over May in store, the highest premium yet paid.

Higher at St. Louis.

The Kansas City cash market was reported slow, but a better demand was claimed at St. Louis for red winters, with an advance of 1c. At Minneapolis there was some improvement in the milling demand, No. 1 northern still 2¼c under May. There were 797 cars at northwest terminal markets, compared with 578 a year ago, and stocks at Minneapolis were estimated to increase 900,000 bu for the three days of this week. Of the increase in the visible supply over half was at the Canadian lake ports. Fort William and Port Arthur. Primary receipts were 1,546,000 bu, compared with 891,000 bu last year. Clearances were 474,000 bu wheat and flour. Continental markets showed little change, Berlin and Budapest up ½c each. Speculative trade was largely local and still of moderate volume. Comstock, Scott, Bloom, and other local traders were the best buyers. Pringle was a seller on the bulge to 88⅝c for May, and there was scattered commission selling.

Bears Buy May Corn.

After covering a range of ¼c on a moderate trade, deferred futures of corn closed ⅛@¼c higher for the day. January covered more ground on a still lighter trade, touching 41⅝c early, but finding the atmosphere at that level too rarefied and sinking to 41c at the close, a discount of ⅝c under May. There were deliveries of 210,000 bu on January contracts, mostly corn which could not be got out of the driers in time for delivery in December.

There was a firm cash market, although there were no signs of particular improvement in the shipping demand, and buying of about 500,000 bu May by a near house gave the market its tone and direction. There was some inquiry in the pit for No. 3 corn in store for shipment, and total shipping sales of 40,000 bu were reported. Seaboard advices put export sales at 88,000 bu, while clearances were heavy at 2,191,000 bu, the figure covering two days' shipments at New Orleans and three days at Galveston.

The inspection fleet showed 596 cars in Saturday and Sunday, of which 147 graded No. 2, and the day's arrivals are estimated at 501 cars. Primary receipts were 1,348,000 bu, compared with 968,000 bu. Local stocks increased 2,020,000 bu for the week to 3,702,000 bu, including 3,407,715 bu No. 2 corn. Owing to the large clearances, however, the total visible increased only 1,223,000 bu for the week, compared with an increase of 2,-360,000 bu a year ago. Liverpool futures were ½d lower, but spot American corn ¼d higher and cargoes steady.

Oats Taken for Shipment.

May oats advanced ¼c to 32½c sellers on strength in the cash market, improved shipping demand, and good speculative support. Cash prices were steady to ¼c higher and shipping sales 340,000 bu, much of it to the seaboard for export. Export sales in the east were put at 80,000 bu and clearances were 200,000 bu. There were 529 cars in, including 92 of standard grade and 250 estimated as the day's arrivals. Local stocks in store decreased 36,000 bu for the week, but there was an increase of 827,000 bu in the visible supply compared with a decrease of 840,000 bu a year ago. Country acceptances were light. The Northern Grain company, Bartlett-Frazier, Buckley, and Beierlein were fair buyers. There was selling by cash interests against purchases of car lot arrivals.

Provisions Hold Firm.

Provisions started a shade easier on the liquidation of a local line, but held firm under this pressure and then rallied in response to firmer prices for hogs at the yards, a reported improvement in the cash demand, large shipments of product, and support by local bulls. There were 26,000 hogs in, prices 5c higher, and 38,000 estimated for today. Total western receipts were 71,400, compared with 79,700 last year. Shipments of meats were 2,255,000 lbs, compared with 1,658,000 lbs a year ago, and of lard 2,478,000 lbs, compared with 1,056,000 lbs last year. In the pit trade there was buying of ribs by Comstock and Champlin and of lard by Raymond. The National and Roloson sold lard, Rankin sold ribs, and Cudahy brokers bought January lard against sales of May at 15c to 17½c discount, narrowing the spread to the smaller figure.

Rye Market Steady.

Rye was steady. No. 2 cash sold at 65¼@66¼c; No. 3, 62@64c. May was nominally 69@70c. Receipts were 5 cars.

Barley was steady. Offerings were freer than last week. Screenings sold at 34@39c; feed barley, 37@38c; and malting 38@52c. Receipts were 78 cars.

Flaxseed was 1c higher for May. Cash market was unchanged. No. 1 northwestern sold at $1.16; No. 1 was $1.10 bid; May, $1.20. Receipts were 129 cars at Minneapolis and 24 cars at Duluth.

Timothy seed was firm. Choice sold $3.15 and fancy $3.35. Country lots $2.00@3.15. January nominally $3.40. Contract spot clover sold at $13.15@13.25. Fair to good country lots $11.00@12.00.

GRAIN INSPECTION.

	No. 2 or better.	Standard.	No. 3.	Low grade.	Total.
Winter wheat.	13	...	8	...	21
Colorado	2	...	...	...	2
Spring wheat.	2	...	24	9	35
Corn	147	...	457	292	896
Oats	21	92	234	184	529
Rye	5	...	2	...	5
Barley	3	...	6	69	78
Totals	193	92	729	554	1,566

Inspected out—From store: Wheat—New No. 2 red, 18,323 bu; No. 4 spring, 9,166 bu. Corn—No. 2 yellow, 10,515 bu; No. 3 white, 6,000 bu; No. 3, 1,484 bu; No. 4, 26,003 bu. Oats—No. 3 white, 83,387 bu. From unlicensed elevators: Wheat—No. 2 red, 18 cars; No. 1 northern, 2 cars. Corn—No. 2 yellow, 1 car; No. 3 yellow, 46 cars; No. 3 white, 17 cars; No. 2, 120 cars and 14,700 bu; No. 3, 233 cars; No. 4, 16 cars. Oats—White clipped, 6 cars; No. 2 white, 2 cars; No. 3 white, 22 cars; No. 2, 11 cars; No. 3, 7 cars; standard oats, 2 cars.

Cash Produce Transactions.

FLOUR—Prices easy. Hard patents [favorite brands], $5.00; hard patents [in wood], $4.00@4.20; straight [export bags], $3.70@3.90; clear [export bags], $2.80@3.10; lower grades, $2.05@2.10; hard winter patents [export bags], $4.10@4.20; clear [export bags], $3.85@4.00; clear [jute], $3.25@3.40; rye flour, brls, $3.60@3.75; sacks, $3.20@3.30.

WINTER WHEAT—Firm. Sales in store and to go: No. 2 red, 5,000 bu in store at 1c over May price. Free on board, [within], and delivered: No. 2 red, 88c; No. 3 hard, 86@87¼c; No. 2 hard, 85@86c.

SPRING WHEAT—Firm. Sales in store and to go: Mixed lots, 10,000 bu on p. t. Free on board: switched, and delivered: No. 4, 78@83¼c; No. 3 hard, 83@85c.

CORN—Firm. Sales in store and to go: No. 3, 45,000 bu on p. t. No. 3 white, 42c; No. 4, 40c. Sales on track and free on board: No grade sold 32@37c; No. 4, 39@40½c; No. 3, 41¼@41⅝c; No. 3 yellow, 41¼@42c; No. 2, 42c; No. 2 yellow, 42c; No. 3 white, 41⅝@42c; No. 2 white, 42½c. Billed through: No. 4, 38@40c; No. 3, 40¾@41¼c; No. 2 yellow, 41@41¼c; No. 2, 41@41½c; No. 2 yellow, 41¼@41½c; No. 3 white, 41@41½c; No. 2 white, 41@41¾c.

OATS—Steady. Sales in store and to go: White clipped, 340,000 bu on p. t. Sales on track and free on board: No. 4 white, 28½@31c; No. 3, 29@30¾c; No. 3 white, 30½@32c; standard, 31¾@33c; No. 2, 32c; No. 2 white, 32¼@33c. Billed through: No. 4, 28c; No. 4 white, 30¼@31c; No. 3 white, 31¼@32c; standard, 31¼@32½c; No. 2 white, 32½@33c—Spot, quiet; American mixed, new, 4s 5d; American mixed, old, 4s 9d; futures easy; January, 4s 2½d; March, 4s 2½d; May, 4s 2¾d. Hops in London [Pacific coast], steady; £2 10s@£3 10s.

INTERESTING TRADE GOSSIP ON 'CHANGE.

With two tickets now complete and in the field for the annual election to be held next Monday there is more talk than ever of a third ticket being put up by petition, but so far those who are quietly working for such a move have not succeeded in securing a candidate to head their ticket, W. L. Gregson having refused a few more times yesterday. The ticket headed by Walter Fitch for president and James C. Rogers for second vice president has been completed by the selection of the following candidates for directors and members of the committees on arbitration and appeals: For directors, James E. Bennett of Thomas Bennett & Co., James E. Pettit, president Peavey Grain company; Edwin S. Skillen of E. S. Skillen & Co.; H. Zeiss of Boyd, Lunham & Co., and John J. Badenoch of J. J. Badenoch & Co. For arbitration committee, Frank G. Ely, grain shipper; George A. Wegener of W. F. Johnson & Co., Harry M. Smith, commission; Frank B. Rice of Nye & Jenks Grain company; and H. B. Boomer of the Ellsworth & Cross company. For appeals committee, John M. Schaack of Bartlett, Frazier & Carrington, William G. Husband of J. J. Keller & Co., Frank M. Bunch of Rumsey & Co., Frederick H. Babcock of McReynolds & Co., and Philip H. Schiffin of Hemmelgarn & Co. Of the candidates for directors Mr. Pettit has the signal advantage of being on both tickets, having been named previously on the ticket headed by John B. Adams for president. Mr. Bennett has the advantage of the solid support of the Bohemian club of sixty members—count 'em—sixty, which will organize nearly as many flying squadrons as there are members, to work for his election.

A synopsis by cable of Broomhall's weekly foreign crop summary says: "United kingdom—Conditions of crops satisfactory. Renewed talk of good decrease in acreage. France—Condition satisfactory; supplies moderate. Germany—Snow has fallen. Estimates for the crops are: Wheat, 135,000,000 bu, against 139,000,000 bu; rye, 352,000,000 bu, against 867,200,000 bu; oats, 474,000,000 bu, against 503,000,000. Russia—Crops look well, but snow is wanted. A peasant rising is feared. Roumania—Situation is unchanged. Stocks at Salina now amount to 8,000,000 bu, mostly wheat. On Jan. 1 last year they were 4,200,000 bu. Italy and Spain—Crop conditions continue satisfactory. India—The official report from Bombay gives the acreage under wheat in Sind as 1,511,000 acres, which, Broomhall, however, questions. The acreage under wheat last year was 511,000 acres, and two years ago 687,000 acres. Condition fair to good. Acreage under wheat this year in the central provinces and Berar is 3,523,000 acres, last year 3,496,000 acres, two years ago 3,374,000 acres. Condition satisfactory." Broomhall reports an increase of 1,400,000 bu in European stocks in December, compared with a decrease of 12,000,000 bu in December, 1904.

The local cash wheat market was quiet and firm. There was a light milling demand, but not much outside inquiry, sales 15,000 bu, including 5,000 bu No. 2 red to an Indiana miller at 1c over May price in store. Cash wheat was in better demand at St. Louis, with prices up 1c all around. Kansas City reported the cash market there slow and unchanged. There was a better cash demand at Minneapolis, elevators the principal buyers, but mills taking a moderate amount. No. 1 northern sold at 2½c under May, No. 2 northern 4¼@4½c under.

Of the total increase of 2,488,000 bu in the visible supply of wheat for the week more than half was at the two Canadian ports on Lake Superior, 875,000 bu at Fort William and 408,000 bu at Port Arthur, where most of it will stay until navigation opens in the spring. Buffalo stocks decreased 1,392,000 bu, showing a rapid movement of Manitoba wheat for export with some movement of Duluth Springs to eastern millers. There were increases of 1,807,000 bu at Minneapolis, 690,000 bu at Duluth, 220,000 bu at New York, and 22,000 bu here. The increase for the week was 250 per cent larger than that of a year ago, which was 901,000 bu, and total stocks are now 2,332,000 bu larger than a year ago. In spite of the increase of 2,020,000 bu in local stocks of corn, export clearances have been so heavy the total visible supply increase was only 1,322,000 bu, compared with 2,369,000 bu last year. Records are still being broken by the figures of the oats visible supply stocks, an increase of 827,000 bu for the week compared with a decrease of 840,000 bu last year, with total stocks now 5,221,000 bu ahead of last year's figures. The rye visible showed a decrease of 58,000 bu and barley an increase of 74,000 bu. Totals and comparisons follow:

VISIBLE SUPPLY TOTALS.

	Last week.	Prev. week.	Last yr.
Wheat	42,961,000	40,467,000	40,861,000
Corn	11,877,000	10,535,000	11,877,000
Oats	28,053,000	27,726,000	28,053,000
Rye	2,386,000	2,435,000	2,786,000
Barley	6,310,000	6,236,000	6,310,000

LOCAL PUBLIC STOCKS.

	This week.	Last week.	Last yr.
Wheat	6,111,000	6,080,000	1,636,600
Corn	2,702,000	1,682,000	214,000
Oats	5,697,000	5,733,000	3,580,000
Rye	657,000	647,000	414,000
Barley	...	...	12,000

Russian shipments of wheat are really falling off at last, being 704,000 bu less than the previous week and 576,000 bu less than for the corresponding week last year. Indian shipments are also much lighter, but those from Australia are beginning to show the effects of new crop movement. This country and Canada are still supplying nearly half the total of world's shipments compared with less than one-seventh of the smaller shipments of last year. Following are the total exports of wheat and corn with comparisons:

WHEAT.

	This week.	Last week.	Last year
America	4,624,000	5,408,000	976,000
Russia	1,488,000	2,192,000	2,064,000
Danube	1,440,000	1,928,000	1,280,000
India	576,000	696,000	1,456,000
Argentine	976,000	696,000	512,000
Australia	528,000	32,000	352,000
Austria-Hungary	56,800	56,000	None
Chili, N. Africa	20,000	80,000	296,000
Totals	9,408,000	11,248,000	6,936,000

CORN.

America	5,582,000	3,502,000	2,656,000
Russia	81,000	57,000	72,000
Danube	293,000	211,000	16,000
Argentine	756,000	919,000	1,621,000
Totals	6,712,000	4,689,000	4,365,000

A vote on the proposition to double the commission rate on grains and provisions and require all business to be done on a brokerage basis will be forced as the result of a petition signed by 100 members for an amendment to the rules which was presented to the directors yesterday. The original petition, presented last fall, was denied on the theory that the coöperation of other exchanges was necessary. The New York produce exchange was willing, but those of Kansas City, St. Louis, and Minneapolis were not. The matter was referred to a committee, but a number of members who believe the Chicago board is big enough to paddle its own canoe in the matter, tired of waiting for the committee and decided to force a vote. Under the rules the second petition had to be granted, and the amendment will be posted today for ballot in the near future. The amendment was also referred to the legal advice committee to report on the legality of its form.

The committee on insolvencies at yesterday's meeting of the directors preferred charges against the members of the firm of Fyffe-Manson, which suspended last summer, and subsequently settled with most of its creditors for 25 cents on the dollar. Overtrading by members of the firm is said to be the substance of the charge. The trial was postponed to Jan. 30, as were pending charges by individual members against the same house.

Contract stocks of wheat in store increased 20,407 bu for the week; corn increased 1,913,658 bu; oats decreased 74,719 bu. Total contract stocks are:

	Dec. 30, 1905.	Dec. 26, 1905.	Dec. 31, 1904.
No. 2 hard	2,486,461	2,462,328	1,190,595
No. 2 red	2,377,009	2,406,131	271,541
No. 1 northern	685,946	653,553	2,500
Totals	5,549,416	5,519,009	1,434,636
Corn	3,407,715	1,494,057	1,879,937
Oats	4,154,744	4,229,463	2,468,044

CHICAGO PROVISION STOCKS.

	Dec. 31, 1905.	Dec. 31, 1904.
Mess pork, new, made since Oct. 1, 1905, brls	8,232	16,879
Mess pork, made Oct. 1, 1904, to Oct. 1, 1905	22,020	22,418
Other kinds of barreled pork, brls	25,066	31,568
P. s. lard, made since Oct. 1, 1905, tcs	6,987	33,687
P. s. lard, made Oct. 1, 1904, to Oct. 1, 1905	...	12,900
Other kinds of lard	6,699	19,350
Short rib middles, made previous to Oct. 1, 1905, lbs	...	...
Short clear middles, lbs	5,221,350	177,328
Extra short clear middles, made since Oct. 1, 1905, lbs	1,977,874	3,821,753
Extra short clear middles, made previous to Oct. 1, 1905, lbs	421,126	...
Extra short clear middles	3,440,217	3,943,366
Long clear middles, lbs	33,547	117,954
Dry salted shoulders, lbs	1,965,367	832,974
Sweet pickled shoulders, lbs	1,421,714	1,074,813
Dry salted bellies	18,232,054	10,867,269
Sweet pickled hams	28,274,850	28,776,892
Sweet pickled bellies, lbs	6,746,911	6,310,429
Sweet pickled California or picnic hams, sweet pickled	...	...
Boston shoulders, lbs	7,575,168	11,134,705
Sweet pickled skinned hams, lbs	12,728,557	16,938,050
Other cut meats, lbs	9,464,591	13,287,475
Total cut meats, lbs	99,604,165	112,684,995

DOMESTIC PRODUCE MARKET.

NEW YORK, Jan. 2.—Wheat—Receipts, 526,000 bu; exports, 212,161 bu. Spot, irregular; No. 2 red, 91¾c elevator; No. 2 red 95¾c f. o. b. afloat; No. 1 northern, Duluth, 95¾c f. o. b. afloat; No. 1 hard Manitoba, nominal, f. o. b. afloat. Options closed ⅝c net higher; May, 91¼@92 7-16c, closed 92¾c; July, 88⅞@89¼c, closed 89¼c.

Corn—Receipts, 268,750 bu; exports, 220,750 bu. Spot, firm; No. 2, 57½c old, elevator, and 51c f. o. b. afloat; No. 2 yellow, 51c; No. 2 white, 51¼c. Options closed net unchanged; January, 50⅞@51c, closed 52¼c; May, 50¼@50¼c, closed 50¼c; July closed 50⅝c.

Oats—Receipts, 159,000 bu; exports, 14,666 bu. Spot, barely steady; mixed oats, 26@32 lbs, 36½@37c; natural white, 30@32 lbs, 37@38c; clipped white, 36@40 lbs, 40@41½c.

Sugar—Raw, steady; fair refining, 3¼c; centrifugal, 96 test, 3⅝c; molasses sugar, 2¾c. Refined, steady; crushed, 5.40c; powdered, 4.80c; granulated, 4.70c.

Cottonseed oil—Strong; prime yellow, 31¼@31⅜c.

Quotations on Coffee.

Coffee—Spot Rio steady; No. 7 invoice, 8 1-16c; mild quiet; Cordova, 9¾@12¾c. Futures opened steady and closed unchanged to 10 points higher on sales of 10,500 bags.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close Jan. 2.	Close Dec. 30.
January	6.35	6.40	6.35	6.35	6.35
March	6.65	6.70	6.65	6.65	6.60
May	6.80	6.85	6.80	6.80	6.75
July	6.95	7.00	6.95	7.00	6.90
September	7.05	7.10	7.05	7.05	7.00

Quotations on Cotton.

Cotton—Spot closed quiet, 15 points lower; middling uplands, 11.75c; middling gulf, 12.00c; sales, 14,966 bales. Futures opened easy and closed steady.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close Jan. 2.	Close Dec. 30.
January	11.16	11.19	11.09	11.18	11.30
March	11.50	11.52	11.36	11.48	11.61
May	11.60	11.68	11.52	11.63	11.77
July	11.70	11.75	11.60	11.72	11.88

Cotton in Liverpool.

LIVERPOOL, Jan. 2.—Cotton—Spot in moderate demand; prices 14 points lower; American middling fair, 6.62d; good middling, 6.28d; middling, 6.10d; low middling, 5.94d; good ordinary, 5.76d; ordinary, 5.60d. Sales were 8,000 bales. Receipts, 56,000 bales, including 44,200 American. Futures opened easy and closed quiet.

Western Grain Markets.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Jan. 2.—Close: Wheat—Firm; May, 80¾c; July, 76¾c. Cash: No. 2 hard, 77@78c; No. 3, 77@79½c; No. 2 red, 89@90c; No. 3, 83@88c. Corn—Weak; May, 39½c; July, 40¼. Cash: No. 2 mixed, 39¼c; No. 2 white, 39¾@40c; No. 3, 39½@39¾c. Oats—Steady; No. 2 white, 31@31¾c. Receipts—Wheat, 172 cars.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Jan. 2.—Close: Wheat—Higher; No. 2 red, elevator, 88@91c; track, 92@93c; May, 87c; July, 81¼c; No. 2 hard, 84@86½c. Corn—Firm; No. 2 cash, 41c; track, 42@42½c; May, 42¼c. Oats—Higher; No. 2 cash, 31¾c; track, 32c; May, 32@32¼c; No. 2 white, 33@33½c. Lead—Firm; $5.90. Spelter—Firm; $6.50.

PEORIA, Ill., Jan. 2.—Corn—Lower; No. 3 yellow, 40½c; No. 3, 40¼c; No. 4, 38½c; no grade, 35@36¼c. Oats—Firm; No. 3 white, 30¾c; No. 4 white, 30c. Rye—Unchanged; No. 2, 67½@68c. Whisky—$1.30.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Jan. 2.—Wheat—Quiet; No. 1 northern, 86c; No. 2 northern, 83@84c; May, 88¼c bid. Rye—Steady; No. 1, 67c. Barley—Dull; No. 2, 54c; sample, 48@52½c. Oats—Steady; standard, 31¼@32½c. Corn—Quiet; May, 44½c bid.

TOLEDO, O., Jan. 2.—Cloverseed—Cash and January, $8.27½; February, $8.35; March, $8.40. Timothy—$1.60. Alsike—$8.00.

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., Jan. 2.—May wheat closed at 85⅞c; July, 86¼@87c. Cash, No. 1 northern sold at 2¼c under May and No. 2 northern averaged 4¼c under. Flour—First patents, $4.50@4.60; second patents, $4.30@4.40; first clears, $3.60@3.75; second clears, $3.45@2.55. Flax—Strong; cash closed at $1.15¾. Bran—In bulk, $13.50@13.75.

Foreign Produce Market.

LIVERPOOL, Jan. 2.—Wheat—Spot, steady; No. 2 red western winter, 6s 7d; futures steady; March, 6s 10¾d; May, 6s 9¾d. Corn—Spot, quiet; American mixed, new, 4s 5d; American mixed, old, 4s 9d; futures easy; January, 4s 2½d; March, 4s 2½d; May, 4s 2¾d. Hops in London [Pacific coast], steady; £2 10s@£3 10s.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK MARKET.

The live stock market had a healthy tone yesterday and the day was marked by substantial trading. Cattle as compared with Monday's showing were steady to strong, hogs were about steady with the close of the day preceding, and sheep were steady generally with lambs showing well in many instances.

Cattle.

All of the cattle buyers were in the market, with the exception of a few of the shippers. While the packers would not extend themselves in purchasing on Monday, they were good buyers yesterday. There was a good deal of strength to export trade, and many medium, handy weight sorts went to foreign account, ranging from $4.50 to $5.00. Receipts were 5,000.

Prices for the day:

Choice to prime steers	$5.75@6.00
Common to good steers	4.20@5.40
Inferior to common steers	3.25@4.20
Good to fancy cows and heifers	3.00@5.15
Yearlings, good to choice	4.50@5.50
Fair to choice feeders	3.25@4.25
Fair to choice stockers	2.75@3.25
Good cutting to fair beef cows	2.50@3.75
Common to good canning cows	1.40@2.15
Bulls, common to good	2.00@4.00
Calves, common to good	3.75@6.50
Calves, good to fancy	6.50@8.25

Sheep.

The demand comparatively was good both for sheep and lambs, but the latter were more in favor with the buyers and they showed slight gains in spots compared with the previous day's prices. Receipts were estimated at 14,000. Native lambs made $7.90, as against $7.85 on Monday. Wethers at $6.00 and ewes at $5.75 looked steady.

The range of prices was:

Fair to prime wethers	$5.50@6.25
Ewes, good to prime	5.00@5.60
Yearlings, good to choice	5.75@6.85
Culls, ewes, good to fair	3.00@4.00
Bucks and stags	3.50@4.25
Feeding lambs	5.25@6.85
Feed lambs	6.75@7.75
Breeding ewes	4.00@5.00

Hogs.

While the hog market was about the same as that of Monday's close, it was 10c lower than the high point of that day. Speculators had loaded up well on the light run of Monday and had run tops to $5.45 and had to dispose of some of their holdover stock at lower prices. The trade resolved itself into practically a local buying movement. The estimated run was 26,000.

Quotations for the day:

Good to choice butchers	$5.20 @5.

ILLINOIS TRUST IS AHEAD,

PASSES FIRST NATIONAL BANK IN AMOUNT OF DEPOSITS.

Old Officers of Merchants' Loan Re-elected at Annual Meeting—Chicago Title Company Makes Best Showing in Its History—Traffic of Elevated Roads Continues Good—Corn Products Consolidation Plans—S. B. Chapin Talks of Market.

Deposits of the Illinois Trust and Savings bank on Jan. 2, as shown in the statements to stockholders, were $98,484,565. This amount is something over $700,000 in excess of deposits shown by the First National bank on the same date. The Illinois Trust becomes, therefore, the largest bank in Chicago and in the west in the matter of deposits.

As the two banks are now so near each other their rank may be expected to shift. It appears from the statement of the Illinois Trust that it has gained $4,014,523 in deposits since Nov. 9, when the total was $94,472,040.

Net profits of the Illinois Trust for the calendar year 1905 were, in round figures, $1,200,000, or approximately 30 per cent on the $4,000,000 capital. The bank pays 12 per cent dividends regularly and 4 per cent extra.

Merchants' Loan.

The annual meeting of the Merchants Loan and Trust company was held yesterday, and retiring officers were reelected. The bank had a good year, showing net earnings of 17 per cent on the $3,000,000 capital. The regular dividend rate is 12 per cent.

The banks generally will make good exhibits of profits for 1905, though some will not be so large as 1904 and others will be larger. The First National showed an increase over 1904. The bond department, however, is operated by the manager of the First Trust and Savings bank, and the earnings of the latter for the year were 49.15 per cent on the capital stock of $1,000,000. As the capital of the First Trust was a diversion of $1,000,000 of the surplus of the First National, the earnings belong actually to the First National bank, though primarily credited to the First Trust and Savings.

The Mutual bank has earned and paid to savings depositors an extra dividend of ¼ per cent under its profit sharing plan. The interest therefore credited to savings accounts on Jan. 1 is at the rate of 3¼ per cent annually, as the bank guarantees 3 per cent.

Record Year for Title and Trust.

The annual statement of the Chicago Title and Trust company, issued yesterday, makes the best showing in the history of the company. The profits were 12.31 per cent on the capital stock. Dividends of 6 per cent were paid, leaving a net surplus for the year of $315,957. The total surplus, or undivided profits, shown in the statement is $938,521. Following are the profits of the company since its organization:

	Dec. 31, 1905.	Dec. 31, 1904.	Dec. 31, 1903.	Dec. 31, 1902.
Net profits	$315,957	$346,068	$490,348	$420,322
Dividends	300,000	300,000	300,000	300,000
Sur. for yr.	$315,957	$346,068	$190,348	$120,322
Sur. forward	622,574	275,006	176,340	46,018
Total sur.	$938,521	$622,574	$375,008	$176,260
Pct. earned on stock	12.31	10.93	9.98	8.58

The balance sheet as of Dec. 31, 1905, follows:

ASSETS.

	Dec. 31, 1905.	Dec. 31, 1904.
Cash on hand and in banks	$ 190,098	$ 183,743
Collateral loans	794,889	483,302
Loans on r. e. security	970,225	821,590
Stocks, bonds, etc	261,107	231,056
Bills receivable	88,566	88,158
Title and Trust building and annex	1,389,018	1,453,353
Other real estate	133,786	.....
Accounts receivable	152,158	136,727
Abstract plant	2,500,000	2,250,000
Electric light plant	1,000	3,400

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock	$5,000,000	$5,000,000
Reserve for taxes	41,022	42,124
Dividend payable Jan. 2, 1906.	75,000	75,000
Accounts payable	14,281	1,641
Undivided profits	938,521	622,564
Total	$6,068,825	$5,741,329

Concerning the year's business, A. R. Marriott, vice president, who issues the report, says, among other things:

"The increase in earnings is shared by all the departments, showing that the success of the company is based on a well balanced general growth, which augurs well for future years."

Traffic of "L" Roads.

Traffic of the elevated railroads for December continued good. The Metropolitan led in percentage of gain, with an increase of 12.61. The Northwestern L had a gain of 11.42 per cent. For the year the average percentage of gain was the highest with the Northwestern, being 9.89. Metropolitan was next, and the South Side L next, in the case of the three roads under review. The Chicago and Oak Park figures were not issued yesterday. Figures of three of the roads follow:

NORTHWESTERN L.

	1905.	1904.	Inc.	Pct.
January	73,728	70,204	3,524	5.02
February	78,773	73,193	5,580	7.62
March	81,509	74,844	6,156	8.22
April	79,779	74,217	5,562	7.41
May	77,863	69,232	8,631	12.47
June	75,857	68,222	7,635	11.16
July	67,496	60,816	6,680	10.98
August	68,938	62,453	6,485	13.83
September	74,307	66,407	7,900	11.89
October	80,642	73,385	7,257	9.89
November	83,597	74,807	9,290	12.53
December	87,199	78,203	8,996	11.42
Aver. for year	77,866	70,401	6,965	9.89

METROPOLITAN L.

January	116,013	112,413	3,600	3.20
February	121,177	118,693	2,484	2.09
March	124,853	122,507	2,346	1.90
April	124,996	121,924	3,072	2.52
May	125,184	114,372	10,752	9.44
June	124,579	110,925	13,654	12.51
July	118,578	102,142	11,436	11.19
August	116,256	103,519	12,876	12.44
September	124,427	107,907	16,520	15.31
October	131,990	114,972	17,018	15.20
November	152,270	115,803	16,473	14.22
December	135,709	120,588	15,211	11.42
Aver. for year	124,271	113,780	10,491	9.22

SOUTH SIDE L.

January	86,059	87,001	*2,942	*2.33
February	88,173	90,330	*2,157	*2.33
March	91,384	92,547	*1,163	*1.26
April	91,901	91,500	401	.43
May	89,971	83,342	6,629	7.96
June	93,041	81,402	12,639	15.40
July	85,272	69,809	15,373	21.99
August	85,786	70,945	14,843	21.07
September	90,576	75,120	15,456	20.57
October	92,824	83,251	9,653	11.44
November	92,156	85,160	6,996	8.21
December	97,495	88,788	8,707	9.80
Aver. for year	90,301	83,247	7,054	8.47

*Decrease.

Corn Products Consolidation.

E. T. Bedford, president of the New York Glucose company, is quoted in the New York Journal of Commerce as saying:

"Representatives of the Corn Products company and the New York Glucose company have had merger plans under consideration for some time. Conferences have been held and certain terms have been agreed upon. Everything is now practically ready for submission to the stock holders, but, of course, there is no telling what they may have to say on the subject. The chief obstacle has been, of course, the excessive capitalization of the Corn Products company, and it will be difficult to form a reorganization without having it pretty heavily capitalized. However, the directors have been able to adjust difficulties, and the plans will certainly be laid before the stockholders."

Mr. Bedford considered the terms agreed upon quite favorable to owners of the Corn Products company, especially when regard was had to the fact that the company had suspended dividends and that its output was slightly less than the combined output of the other companies.

It is assumed in New York that E. T. Bedford will be at the head of any reorganized company or plan which may be adopted.

Walsh Had Few Political Loans.

Inasmuch as the Walsh banks had approximately $9,000,000 public money, there was an impression abroad that politicians might have been borrowers from the banks. A member of the clearing house committee said yesterday:

"There were three or four small loans that might be considered political, but were of no consequence. Aside from the loans made to Walsh's companies there was nothing about the banks that could be criticised. A loan of $450 000 to one of the directors was paid off at once. The borrower is worth over $2,000,000."

There was a rumor afloat during the day that the Equitable Trust company might be continued. It appeared to have been merely a rumor. The clearing house committee has not yet got around to the Equitable matter, any further than to purchase its assets.

Railway Earnings.

CHICAGO GREAT WESTERN.

		Increase.
November, gross	$ 782,204	$ 74,783
Operating expenses	547,041	84,107
Net	234,563	*9,324
From July 1—		
Gross	3,846,150	507,398
Operating expense	2,503,462	342,191
Net	1,277,683	165,207

LOUISVILLE AND NASHVILLE.

November, gross	3,651,805	145,080
Operating expenses	2,546,904	99,043
Net	1,105,001	46,089
From July 1—		
Gross	17,489,356	952,825
Operating expenses	12,371,826	1,249,281
Net	5,117,530	*296,400

NASHVILLE, CHATTANOOGA AND ST. LOUIS.

November, gross	904,160	31,811
Net	261,586	4,508
Surplus	51,999	*3,596
From July 1—		
Gross	4,366,974	3,978
Net	1,001,315	*216,536
Surplus	268,989	*212,151

NORFOLK AND WESTERN.

November, gross	2,299,304	319,237
Operating expenses	1,356,594	145,443
Net	942,710	173,794
Charges and taxes	354,515	18,118
Surplus	608,195	154,078
From July 1—		
Gross	11,612,636	1,820,950
Operating expenses	6,984,131	1,196,057
Net	4,628,505	624,893
Charges and taxes	1,676,008	181,024
Surplus	2,972,497	443,869

*Decrease.

New York Curb Transactions.

	Shares.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Am. Can	900	10⅛	10⅛	9⅞	10
Do pfd	100	69½	69½	69½	69½
Am. Chicle	2	168	168	168	168
Am. Tobacco	112	465	465	460	465
Am. Writ. pap. pfd	1,000	32	33⅜	32	33⅜
B. C. Copper	4,500	10⅜	11	10¼	10¼
Boston Con	14,900	33	33⅜	31⅝	32
Bath. Steel	300	33¼	33½	33	33
Do pfd	200	90	90½	90	90½
Chicago Sub	2,500	50¾	51	50½	50¾
Cataract Mining	200	5	5	4⅞	5
Cent. Fury. pfd	800	26	27	26	26¼
Con. Trac. W. I.	1,900	60	60	59	59
Do pfd	100	98	98	96	96
Dom. Cop	8,000	¼	¼	15-32	15-32
Granby	4,400	10¾	10¾	10	10
G. Gold	225	4	4	3⅞	3⅞
G. Gold & Silver	700	6	6	5⅞	5⅞
G. Copper	7,800	31	31½	30⅝	30⅝
Guan	250	5¼	5¼	5¼	5¼
Havana Tob	410	36	37	36	36
Int. Marine	200	13	13	13	13
Interboro	900	233	235	231	231
Int. Marine pfd	900	34¾	34¾	34¼	34½
Man. Trans	3,500	3½	3½	3⅜	3⅜
Mackay Co	2,400	56	59½	58¾	59
Do pfd	187	73¾	74	73¾	74
Mitchell Mining	1,700	10¾	10¾	9¾	9¾
Mines Soc	300	5-16	5-16	5-16	5-16
Nevada Con	4,800	12¼	12¼	12	12⅛
New Utah	1,500	3¾	3¾	3¾	3¾
Seaboard 1st	25	90½	90½	90½	90½
Stand. Oil	176	700	700	695	700
Tenn. Cop	4,700	51⅝	52¼	50¼	50
Utah Copper	4,600	38⅝	39	38	38⅛
United Cop	14,200	67	67⅝	64⅛	66⅛
Do pfd	100	88	88	88	88
Utah Apex	2,860	8⅝	8⅞	8⅜	8⅝
BONDS.					
$105,000 Con. T. 4½s		W. 1.95½	95½	95	95

*And int.

CLOSING BID AND ASKED PRICES.

	Bid.	Asked.
Am. Writing Paper	4¼	5
Bay State Gas	⅜	5-16
Compressed Air	⅞	¾
Electric Boat	28	30
Do pfd	70	73
Electro Pneumatic	⅛	¼
Electric Vehicle	14	18
Do pfd	19	22
Havana Tob. pfd	42	42½
Interborough	232	238
Int. Merc. Marine com	12½	12⅝
Do pfd	34½	34⅝
N. Y. El. Veh. Trans	7⅛	7¼
Otis Elevator	58	62
Do pfd	107	110
Royal Bak. Powder pfd	111	113
Standard Coupler	37	42
Do pfd	120	130
Safety	305	320

Foreign Exchange.

The foreign exchange market was steady and inactive. Actual closing rates for bankers' sixty day sterling bills were 4.82¼@4.8235; demand, 4.85⅛@4.8580; cable transfers, 4.8640@4.86⅛; commercial long, documents payment, 4.81¼@4.82; ninety days on bankers, 4.80⅛@4.80⅜; short marks, 95@95 plus 1-16; sight francs, 5.16⅞ less 1-16@5.16¾; guilders, 40 plus 1-16@40⅛ less 1-32.

Following are the posted rates of the principal drawers of foreign exchange:

London	4.87
Berlin, reichsmarks	95⅛
Paris, francs	5.18¼
Vienna, crowns	20.30
Scandinavian kronors	26.80
Italian, lire	5.15⅝

As Viewed by S. B. Chapin.

S. B. Chapin returned from New York and had the following to say concerning the market:

"We have experienced a powerful stock market in the last few months, and one hears extravagant predictions as to what price this or that stock will sell at before the bull movement is over. For instance, you hear Union Pacific is slated for 175, Steel common 60, Smelters common 200, Reading 160, and so on. The copper stocks are also now being praised to the sky as to their worth, and speculation has become wild, especially in some of these new properties.

"The great prosperity throughout the whole country, together with the marvelous weather we have had, which has permitted almost every outdoor work to go steadily on uninterrupted, has kept money employed instead of it being sent to New York as ordinarily would have been the case had these conditions not prevailed. Money which has been drawn from New York banks for use in moving the crops this fall has been slow in getting back there again, and this accounts for the high interest rates for call money. The great bulk of the stocks have been carried by New Yorkers, and they have made the largest profits on this recent rise in values.

"It looks to me as if a good many specialties in which the pools are interested would be put higher, but personally I believe it is time to be conservative."

Financial Notes.

It was rumored yesterday that directors of the Chicago Great Western will shortly declare a dividend on preferred A stock.

Wall street is again speculating on when St. Paul will issue the $25,000,000 treasury stock. It is said the shares will be put out when the money market becomes normal.

President A. G. Wheeler of the Illinois Tunnel company says there will be no changes in officials or directors of the Chicago Subway company at the meeting to be held in Jersey City Jan. 15. The present organization, he says, is a permanent one until the company shall have been completely financed.

Personal Mention.

Ira J. Couch has been admitted to membership in the firm of S. B. Chapin & Co.

James A. Benedict & Co., a New York firm, has opened an office at 228 La Salle street. Paul Bayne, one of the partners, will have charge of the Chicago office. The firm deals in commercial paper and investment bonds.

Chicago Stocks.

On the local stock exchange National Biscuit common sold off from the opening, but closed at 67. The preferred was steady at 114¼. Kansas City Railway and Light common was active and firm. United Boxboard issues were liberally bought. Some of the larger houses continue to be purchasers of the shares.

The following were the sales on the Chicago stock exchange yesterday:

	Shares.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Amer. Can	125	10¼	10¼	10¼	10¼
Do pfd	200	70	70	70	70
Chi. Edison	24	162	162	162	162
Chi. Pneu. Tool	22	56	56	56	56
Chi. Subway	75	51	51	51	51
Chi. T. & Trust	130	115	116¼	115	116¼
Chi. & Oak Park El.	50	7½	7½	7½	7½
Do pfd	10	28¾	28¾	28¾	28¾
Dia. Match	247	144	144	143¾	143¾
K. C. Ry. & L	1,510	54½	56	54½	55¾
Do pfd	506	89	89¼	88¾	89¼
Met. Elevated	25	28	28	28	28
Nat. Biscuit	631	68¼	68½	66¾	67
Do pfd	11	114¼	114¼	114¼	114¼
Nat. Carbon	34	82	82	82	82
Quaker Oats pfd	50	104	104	104	104
Street's Stable Car	25	29¼	29¼	29¼	29¼
Swift & Co	340	102¾	103½	102¾	103½
U. S. Steel	6	42¼	42½	42¼	42½
United Boxboard	1,254	2¼	2⅜	2¼	2⅜
Do pfd	5,178	13	16½	15¾	15¾
Western Stone	50	38	38	38	38
BONDS.					
$1000 C. Edison 5s	103¾	$1000 N. W. El. 4s			94
$000 Met. El. gold 4s	93¾	2000 S. S. El. 4½s			103½
		500 W. Stone 5s			96½

Clearings in Chicago yesterday were $49,065,597, and a week ago $47,569,188.

New York exchange sold yesterday in Chicago at 15c premium.

IN THE BOSTON MONEY MARKET.

BOSTON, Mass., Jan. 2.—[Special.]—Boston coppers opened strong, but most of them reacted later, growing stronger again before the close. The features were Utah and United States Mining. Trading in these stocks, especially in Utah, was enormous. Parrot was not far from the top, North Butte, Boston Consolidated, Old Dominion, Copper Range, and Greene were active. There was trading in Steel common. Call loans, 10@15 per cent; time loans, collateral, 5½@6½ per cent; time loans, mercantile paper, 5½@6 per cent; clearing house loans, 6 per cent.

Description.	Sales.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Adventure	210	6¾	6¾	6	6
Allouez	195	41	41	41	41
Amalgamated	11,985	111¼	111¼	108½	108¾
Am. Zinc	300	15¼	15¼	15	15
Anaconda	200	72	72	71¼	71¼
Atlantic	590	20¼	20¾	25	25
Bingham	1,820	35½	36½	25¾	36
Boston C. & C.	1,960	35¾	36¼	35¾	36
Con. Mercur	400	62	62	61	61
Calumet	110	707	707	705	706
Centennial	428	29¼	29¼	29	29
Copper Range	8,623	85½	86	83¾	83¾
Dom. I. & S.	675	27½	27½	26½	26½
Do pfd	315	77¾	77¾	77¾	77¾
Elm River	200	2½	2½	2½	2½
Franklin	310	17¾	17¾	17½	17¾
Greene	4,308	31½	31½	30¾	30¾
Granby	2,365	10½	10¾	10	10¼
Isle Royale	2,120	25½	26	25	25¾
Massachusetts	130	10	10	10	10
Mayflower	100	1¼	1¼	1¼	1¼
Michigan	750	17½	17½	17	17
Mont. C. & C.	500	4½	4¾	4¼	4¾
Mohawk	640	62	62	60½	60½
North Butte	2,855	87¼	89	85	87
Nevada	2,380	12	12¾	12	12
Old Dominion	1,080	36	38	35	35¾
Osceola	570	109	109	107½	107½
Parrott	10,074	45¼	48	45¼	46¾
Rhode Island	1,005	6¾	6¾	6¼	6¼
Shannon	515	7	7	7	7
Tamarack	110	118	122	118	122
U. S. Mining	21,641	40	40	40¼	40
Utah Con.	45,500	57	61¾	56½	61¼
United Copper	1,700	66¾	66¾	65¾	65¾
U. S. Oil	1,465	12	12	11	11
Tenn. Copper	200	51½	51½	49¾	49¾
East Boston	500	6	6	6	6
Am. Agr. pfd	54	92¼	92¾	92¼	92¼
Am. Pneumatic	945	12¾	12¾	12	12
Do pfd	60	34½	34½	34½	34½
Mass. Gas	315	46½	47	46½	47
Swift	370	104	104	103	103
United Fruit	225	106¼	104	102¼	102¼
United Shoe	310	72¾	74¼	72¾	74¼
Do pfd	42	31	31	31	31
Am. Tel.	175	137	137¼	137	137¼
E. E. Tel.	50	139	139	139	139
West. Tel.	35	12	12	12	12
Do pfd	75	91	91¼	91	91¼
B. & M.	43	172	172	172	172
Mass. Electric	448	17¾	17¾	17¾	17¾
Do pfd	110	50½	50½	50½	50½
West End pfd	35	113	113	113	113

IN THE FOREIGN MONEY MARKET

LONDON, Jan. 2.—Supplies of money were abundant today and rates were easier. Discounts sympathized with money rates. Prices on the stock exchange were firm and trading was fairly active. The impending release of much money with the improvement in Russian affairs, accompanied by all round confidence, stimulated the advance. Consols hardened despite the attention devoted to the settlement. Home rails were in good demand on expected dividends. Americans opened dull, improved to well above parity with good support. Continental buying remained wavering pending the receipt of New York's opening prices, when the market responded to the ease in Wall street and stocks recovered. They closed steady. Foreigners were firm, Russians leading at 84½. Copper stocks were strong. Japanese imperial 6s of 1904 were quoted at 102⅝.

PARIS, Jan. 2.—On the bourse today Russians made notable advances on the reports of the amelioration of the Russian situation. The market generally sympathetically advanced. Russian imperial 4s were quoted at 85.50 and Russian bonds of 1904 at 490.

BERLIN, Jan. 2.—Trading on the boerse today was animated. Russians were 1 to 2 per cent higher.

CLOSING QUOTATIONS OF AMERICAN SECURITIES IN LONDON.

Description.	Saturday's latest.	Tuesday. 4 p. m.	Saturday's N. Y. equiv.	N. Y. close.
Atchison	91¼	92¾	90¾	89
Do pfd	108	108	105¾	105
Balt. & Ohio	117	117	115¾	113¾
Can. Pacific	180¾	179¾	175	173¾
Ches. & Ohio	68	68	66¾	66
Chi. Gt. Western	22	22	21¼	21¼
Chi. M. & St. Paul	186¾	187	182	181¾
Erie	50¼	50¼	48¾	48¾
Do 1st pfd	83	82¾	80¾	81
Do 2d pfd	77	76¾	74¾	
Illinois Central	180¼	180¼	175¾	175¼
L. & N.	150¾	150¾	142½	152
M. K. & T.	38¾	38¾	37¼	35¾
N. Y. Central	157¾	157	152¾	153¼
Nor. & West.	87¾	88	85¾	85
North West.	238¾	244¼	228¾	228¾
Pennsylvania	74	74¼	144½	143¾
Reading	71¾	72¾	141¾	138¾
Do 1st pfd	47¼	47½	93¾	
Do 2d pfd	49¾	49¾	96¾	96½
Southern Ry.	37¼	37¼	36¼	35¾
Do pfd	103	103	100¼	100¼
Southern Pacific	68¼	68	66¼	66¼
Union Pacific	155¼	155	150¾	150¾
Do pfd	102	105	99¼	99¼
U. S. Steel	43	44⅜	43¼	43¼
Do pfd	110	110¾	107¾	106¾
Wabash	21	21¼	20¾	20¾
Do pfd	42	43	41	41

Consols, 89⅝; New York equivalent, 89⅝.

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NEW YORK, Jan. 2.—Petroleum—Steady; refined, all ports, $7.55@7.60.

TOLEDO, O., Jan. 2.—Oil—North Lima, 94c; South Lima and Indiana, 89c.

OIL CITY, Pa., Jan. 2.—Credit balances, $1.53. Shipments, Dec. 30 and 31, 139,035; average 72,439. Shipments, Dec. 30 and 31, 139,035 brls.; average 72,439. Shipments, Jan. 1, 72,697; runs Dec. 29, 30, and 31, 150,496; average 65,126. Shipments, Lima, Dec. 30 and 31, 105,092; average 64,450. Shipments, Lima, Jan. 1, 60,891; runs, Lima, 153,061; average 45,075.

Naval Stores.

CHARLESTON, S. C., Jan. 2.—Turpentine and rosin—Nothing doing.

SAVANNAH, Ga., Jan. 2.—Turpentine—Quiet, 65c. Rosin—Firm. Quote: A B C, $3.50; D, $3.55; E, $3.60; F, $3.62½; G, $3.65; H, $3.70; I, $3.90; K, $4.50; M, $5.00; N, $5.50; WG, $5.75; WW, $6.

WILMINGTON, N. C., Jan. 2.—Spirits turpentine, 64½c. Rosin—Firm, $2.80 bid. Tar—Firm, $1.80. Crude turpentine—Firm, $2.80, $4.50, and $4.50.

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DEATHS.

BROWN—Rollin Brown, Jan. 1, husband of Augusta. Funeral Wednesday, 2 p. m., Hermitage-av.; burial at Oakwoods.

BRADY—Mary Brady, Jan 1. Funeral 55 E. Superior-st., Thursday, to St. Dominick's church; carros to Calvary.

BRABEC—Peter Brabec, husband of Marie, Saturday. Funeral from 196 W. Taylor-st., Jan. 8 at 11 a. m.

CARROLL—Frank A Carroll, Jan. 1, son of the late Thomas and Nellie, 637 W. 12th-st. Funeral Thursday at 9:30 a. m., to Holy Family church; carriages to Calvary.

CHAMBERLAIN—Mary E. Chamberlain, Jan. 2, 1906, aged 72 years 5 months. Funeral from her late residence, 6215 Stewart-av., Thursday, Jan. 4, 1906, 10 a. m., to St. Thomas' church; carried ges to Mount Olivet.

CLAUSEN—Margaret Clausen, Jan. 1, widow of the late Henry Clausen. Funeral 5403 Princeton-av., Wednesday at 1:30 p. m., thence by carriages to Oakwoods.

CONLON—Bridget Conlon, Jan. 1, widow the late Michael. Funeral Wednesday at 9 a. m., from 772 W. Van Buren-st., to St. Jarlath's church; carriages to Mount Carmel.

COLEMAN—Margaret Coleman, daughter of Nora and the late Daniel Funeral 54 Alexander-st., at 9 a. m., to St. John's church; carriages to Mount Olivet.

DALEY—Margaret B. Daley, Jan. 1, daughter of John and Abbie. Funeral Wednesday, 10 a. m., 367 Morgan-st.; railway to Mount Olivet

EPHRAIM—Siegfried Ephraim, Sunday, Dec 31, 1905, aged 35 years, member of Kensington lodge No. 804, A. F. and A. M.; Calumet lodge No. 434, R. A. M.; Calumet lodge No. 94, K. of P. and Prospect lodge No 782, I. O. O. F. Funeral services at Graceland cemetery chapel on Thursday, Jan. 4, at 3 p. m. German papers please copy.

FARNUM—Albert H. Farnum, Jan. 1, 1906, at Hotel Metropole, aged 57. Funeral Wednesday, Jan. 3, 1906, at 2:30 p. m., from residence of W. H. Farnum, 2834 Prairie-av.; interment private. Boston, Minneapolis, St. Louis, Kansas City, Philadelphia papers please copy.

FARRELL—George F. Farrily, son of Patrick A. and Catherine, Jan. 1. Funeral 7245 Sangamon-st., Wednesday, 8 a. m., to St Leo's church; cons to Calvary

FORTIN—Nelson Fortin, Jan. 1, 1906, aged 56 years, at his residence, 5422 Washington-av. Funeral services Wednesday, Jan. 3, at 1 o'clock p. m. Burial at Mt. Hope cemetery. Interment private.

GALLEY—Andrew Galley, husband of Barbara. Funeral Thursday from 575 W. 12th-st., at 10 a. m. to St. Francis' church; carriages to Mount Carmel.

GOUDY—Dr. Elmer E. Goudy. Funeral Thursday at 1 p. m., from 2137 W. Van Buren-st.; burial at Forest Home.

GOODMAN—Mary C. Goodman, mother of L. D. Bristol, Fred S. Goodman, and C. W Goodman, at her residence, 6808 Normal-av., Jan. 2, 1906. Burial private at Beaver Dam, Wis. New York and Wisconsin papers please copy.

GOURFAIN—Sophia B. Gourfain, beloved wife of A. S. Gourfain, mother of Pearl, Harold, Agnes, Estelle, and Israel Gourfain. Funeral Thursday at 2 p. m. from Hochspier's chapel, 1127 W. North-av., to Waldheim.

HEALD—Naomi P. Heald, aged 89 years, widow of Alexander H. Heald, and mother of Mrs. O. Scott Goldsmith, R. Bennett, James H. Heald, and Nelson E. Heald. Funeral at 1 o'clock p. m. Thursday, Jan. 4, 1906, from the residence of O. W. Nash, 126 So. Oak Park-av., Oak Park, Ill.; burial private.

HANSON—Anna Hanson, Dec. 31. Funeral, 1002 Western-av., Wednesday at 1 p. m., to Emanuel Lutheran church; burial at Mount Olivet.

KELLY—Lucie Kelly, nee McGarry, beloved wife of the late Thomas Kelly, sister of Peter McGarry, K. E. Drinkwater, and Mary Richmond. Funeral from late residence, 371 Center-st., Thursday, Jan 4, to Immaculate Conception church, 10 a. m. Burial at Ashkum, Ill.

KENNEDY—Mary E. Kennedy, 24 years old, Jan. 1. Funeral services from late residence, 422 Oak-st. Interment at Rhodes, Ia.

LEE—Patrick W. Lee, husband of Blanche, Dec. 31. Funeral Wednesday, 8 a. m., from 679 14th-st., to Holy Family church; carriages to Mount Olivet.

LILJEDAHL—Hedwig Louisa Liljedahl, widow of the late D. J. Funeral at East Grove, Wednesday at 11 a. m.; burial at Hinsdale.

LAFFERTY—John F. Lafferty, 1010 Tripp-av., to husband of Sarah. Funeral Wednesday Jan. 3, from late residence, to Mount Olivet, at 12 o'clock.

MILLER—William J. Miller, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles, Dec. 30. Funeral Wednesday, at 1 p. m., 1502 Windsor-av., Jefferson Park, to Mount Olive.

MATTHEY—Rose L. Matthey, Jan. 1, of 5502 Halsted-st. Funeral from 843 54th-st. Wednesday, 2 p. m. Burial at Salem, W Va.

MALITZKE—Frank S. Malitzke, Jan. 1. Funeral Wednesday, 1 p. m., 500 N. Winchester-av. to Concordia.

MIELKE—Marguerite Mielke, Dec. 31, wife of William C. Funeral 1354 W. 18th-st., Wednesday at 9 a. m., to Blessed Sacrament church; carriages to Forest Home.

MATTHEWS—Joseph William Whitehouse, Dec. 31, husband of Mary. Funeral 143 N. Robey-st.

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OFFICIAL WEATHER FORECAST.

OFFICE OF CHIEF OF WEATHER BUREAU: Washington, D. C., Jan. 2. — Forecast for Wednesday and Thursday:

Illinois, Indiana—Rain Wednesday, Thursday fair and colder, fresh to brisk southeast winds.

North Dakota—Fair Wednesday and Thursday.

South Dakota, Nebraska—Snow Wednesday, colder in east portions; Thursday fair.

Minnesota—Snow Wednesday.

Iowa—Snow or rain Wednesday, Thursday fair and colder.

Lower Michigan—Snow or rain Wednesday and Thursday, increasing east winds.

Upper Michigan, Wisconsin—Snow Wednesday and Thursday, increasing east shifting to west winds.

Missouri—Rain and colder Wednesday, Thursday fair and colder in east portion.

Ohio—Rain in south, snow or rain in north portion Wednesday and Thursday, colder Thursday, fresh east shifting to north winds.

Place of observation.

Time taken:

Jan. 2, 7 p. m.

Place of observation.	Thermometer.	Max. temp.	Min. temp.	Direction of wind.	Precipitation in 24 hours.	State of weather.
Abilene	40	46	W.		.01	Cl'dy
Albany	28	32	W.		Tr.	Fair
Alpena	28	32	W.		Tr.	Fair
Atlanta	44	48	S.		.02	Rain
Amarillo	40	50	N.	NE.	Tr.	Rain
Battleford	20	30	S.	W.	.01	Clear
Bismarck	26	34	W.			Clear
Buffalo	30	32	S.		Tr.	Cl'dy
Boston	32	32	S.			Cl'dy
Cairo	48	54	N.	W.		Cl'dy
Calgary	52	54	W.		.14	Rain
Charles City	26	32	N.	W.	.01	Snow
Charlotte	50	60	E.		.13	Snow
Cheyenne	42	42	W.			Cl'dy
Chicago	16	32	N.	W.	.01	Cl'dy
Cincinnati	44	50	S.	E.	.20	Snow
Cleveland	42	46	S.	E.	Tr.	Rain
Concordia	36	40	W.			Clear
Davenport	30	32	N.	W.	.04	Cl'dy
Denver	34	42	W.		.10	Rain
Des Moines	24	26	N.	W.	Tr.	Snow
Detroit	32	34	S.	E.	.44	Rain
Devil's Lake	20	24	W.			Cl'dy
Dodge	10	14	S.			Cl'dy
Dubuque	24	32	N.		.27	Cl'dy
Duluth	24	28	N.	E.	.02	Snow
El Paso	54	54	E.		.02	Snow
Edmonton	36	40	W.			Clear
Escanaba	26	30	N.		Tr.	Fair
Galveston	58	66	N.	E.		Cl'dy
Grand Haven	66	66	S.		Tr.	Cl'dy
Grand Rapids	32	34	S.		Tr.	Cl'dy
Green Bay	28	30	N.	E.	.01	Cl'dy
Havre	28	30	N.	E.	.01	Clear
Helena	22	28	W.		.02	Clear
Huron	24	26	N.	W.	.01	Cl'dy
Indianapolis	24	26	N.	W.	.02	Rain
Jacksonville	60	68	E.		.02	Cl'dy
Kansas City	44	48	N.	W.		Cl'dy
Lander	38	38	N.	W.	.46	Cl'dy
Little Rock	52	54	S.	E.	.01	Cl'dy
Los Angeles	54	58	S.	W.	.26	Clear
Madison	24	28	N.	W.		Clear
Marquette	20	28	N.		.06	Snow
Memphis	54	56	S.	E.		Clear
Medicine Hat	36	38	S.	E.	.07	Rain
Milwaukee	24	30	N.		.01	Cl'dy
Minnedosa	34	36	S.	E.	Tr.	Cl'dy
Montgomery	58	66	W.			Clear
Montreal	32	32	E.		Tr.	Cl'dy
Moorhead	20	22	S.		Tr.	Cl'dy
Nashville	50	52	S.	W.		Cl'dy
New Orleans	62	62	E.		Tr.	Cl'dy
New York City	44	46	S.		.12	Cl'dy
Norfolk	54	58	N.	W.		Clear
North Platte	22	24	N.	W.		Cl'dy
Oklahoma	44	48	N.	W.		Clear
Omaha	30	32	N.	W.	.76	Rain
Oswego	32	32	S.	E.	.01	Cl'dy
Palestine	56	68	S.	W.	.50	Rain
Parkersburg	46	46	S.	W.		Cl'dy
Philadelphia	36	40	S.			Clear
Pittsburg	38	40	S.			Clear
Pueblo	42	46	N.	E.		Clear
Qu'Appelle	14	24	W.		.04	Snow
Rapid City	30	30	N.	W.		Clear
San Francisco	52	52	N.	W.	Tr.	Snow
St. Louis	44	44	S.	E.		Clear
St. Paul	24	26	N.		.02	Snow
Salt Lake City	28	32	W.		.02	Snow
San Antonio	58	68	S.	E.	.04	Fair
San Diego	54	56	S.	W.	.08	Cl'dy
Ste. Marie	22	28	N.	W.		Clear
Springfield, Ill	40	42	S.	E.	.06	Cl'dy
Springfield, Mo	42	42	S.	E.	.02	Rain
Vicksburg	58	62	S.	E.	.82	Rain
Washington	54	54	S.	E.	1.04	Rain
White River	32	34	W.			Clear
Wichita	42	46	W.		.88	Cl'dy
Williston	18	22	W.		Tr.	Cl'dy
Winnipeg	16	16	S.	E.		Cl'dy

WEATHER IN CHICAGO.

The temperatures as observed yesterday by L. Manasse, optician, 88 Madison street Tribune building, was as follows: Thermometer—8 a. m., 37 degrees; 9 a. m., 38; 10 a. m., 39; 11 a. m., 40; 12 m., 41; 1 p. m., 40; 2 p. m., 41; 6 p. m., 38. Barometer—8 a. m., 29.77; 6 p. m., 29.97.

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OFFICIAL DEATH RECORD.

THE FOLLOWING BURIAL PERMITS WERE issued yesterday by the health department:

Afton, Rasmus, 20; 474 La Salle-av., Dec. 30.
Altiero, Genaro, 1; 131 Vernon Park-pl.
Aroka, Andry, 2; 318 Chicago-av., Dec. 31.
Arviria, Caterina, 6; 437 Clark-st., Dec. 31.
Baker, Jessie F., 17; 2088 W. 12th-st., Dec. 30.
Barczynski, Victoria, 14 days; 652 N. Paulina-st., Jan. 2.
Bell, Sciota, 54; 233 Swan-st., Jan. 1.
Birmingham, Mary, 73; 591 May-st., Dec. 30.
Bleles, Caroline, 72; 1004 31st-pl., Dec. 30.
Bletzinger, Theresa, 38; 444 Belle Plaine-av., Dec. 30.
Borgwardt, Avilde, 78; 435 Hermitage-av., Dec. 31.
Brown, Rollin D., 57; 3403 Hermitage-av., Dec. 31.
Brown, Stephen, 40; 1317 W. 47th-st., Dec. 31.
Buechelen, Barbara, 58; 574 Armitage-av., Dec. 30.
Buttor, Michael, 69; 99 N. Leavitt-st., Jan. 1.
Cesal, John, 21; 780 W. 17th-st., Jan. 2.
Coleman, Margaret, 21; 54 Alexander-st., Dec. 31.
Conlon, Bridget, 76; 772 W. Van Buren-st., Jan. 1.
Connors, Patrick, 67; Home for the Aged, Jan. 1.
Conway, Mary, 65; 2943 Vernon-av., Dec. 30.
Cooper, Maud, 25; 4858 Prairie-av., Dec. 31.
Cornellus, Frid, 14; 226 Vliss-pl., Dec. 30.
Cullinan, Michael, 43; 471 Irving-av., Dec. 30.
Dahlke, Florence, 79; 9016 Union-st., Jan. 2.
Daly, Margaret B., 7 months; 207 Morgan-st., Jan. 2.
Deppisch, Julius, 25; no address given, Dec. 31.
Diener, Irwin, 12; 119 Howe-st., Dec. 30.
Dohen, Anna B., 9; 100 N. Claremont-av., Dec. 31.
Donovan, Patrick, 55; 1454 Madison-st., Dec. 21.
Elg, Christina, 62; 1108 Belmont-av., Jan. 1.
Ensdahl, George, 31; 532 W. Ohio-st., Dec. 31.
Ephraim, Siegfried, 35; 2374 115th-st., Dec. 31.
Farrelly, George F., 30; 7245 Sangamon-st., Jan. 1.
Fitzpatrick, Catherine, 62; 844 Grand-av., Dec. 30.
Forsberg, Esther, 8; 1127 N. Clark-st., Dec. 31.
Fortin, Nelson, 56; 5422 Washington-av., Jan. 1.
Ganschow, Ernest, 4 months; 374 Noble-st., Dec. 31.
Gerrigan, Minnie, 35; 240 47th-st., Dec. 30.
Graper, Haddie, 22; 289 Armitage-av., Dec. 30.

OFFICIAL DEATH RECORD.

Groendel, Baby; 889 Ashland-av., Dec. 30.
Glanz, Josephine, 48; 1201 Albany-av.
Gustin, Wixtorias, 3; 138 Canalport-av., Dec. 31.
Guttyner, John, 58; 5601 Laflin-st., Dec. 31.
Hagen, Mary, 71; 883 21st-st., Dec. 31.
Hanson, Anna M., 57; 1092 N. Western-av., Dec. 21.
Hardies, Anna, 69; 145 Johnsen-st., Dec. 30.
Haroxin, John, 65; 1201 Albany-av.
Hensel, Evelin, 4; 92 Oak-st., Dec. 31.
Hlavke, John, 31; 22 16th-st., Jan. 2.
Hoffmann, Frank, 40; 6264 Carpenter-st., Dec. 30.
Honkel, Ruth W., 1; 682 Cortez-st., Jan. 1.
Hopkins, Anna, 37; Hotel Dien, Jan. 1.
Johnson, Andrew, 50; 945 California-av., Dec. 31.
Jorgenson, Agnes, 21; 1091 W. North-av., Dec. 31.
Keena, Cassie, 25; 3515 Wentworth-av., Jan. 1.
Kelly, Charles, 78; 1201 Hillock-av., Dec. 30.
Knoor, Elizabeth, 45; 5313 Emerald-av.
Koveler, Martha, 3 days; 782 W. 18th-st., Dec. 31.
Kreuger, Carolina, 55; Jan. 1.
Krueger, Baby; 402 Washington-blvd., Jan. 1.
Kurcs, Stanislaw, 12 days; 702 18th-pl., Dec. 1.
Lafferty, John, 81; 1010 Tripp-av., Jan. 1.
Lanchem, Mary, 42; 911 W. 18th-pl., Dec. 31.
Lauk, Anna M., 51; 543 Austin-av., Dec. 30.
Lee, Mary, 90; 7245 May-st., Dec. 31.
Lee, Patrick, 53; 679 14th-pl., Dec. 31.
Lindgwey, Eva, 77; Jefferson-st., near 16th, Dec. 30.
Love, Joseph R., 72; 324 Madison-st., Dec. 22.
Maecher, Augusta, 3 hours; 103 De Koven-st., Jan. 2.
Malitzka, Frank, 67; 500 N. Winchester-av., Jan. 1.
Matthey, Rose L., 36; 5502 Halsted-st., Jan. 1.
McAndrews, John, baby; 723 Rockwell-st., Jan. 1.
McClintock, Agnes, 79; 67 S. 44th-av., Dec. 30.
McGrath, John, 40; 709 N. Chester-av., Dec. 30.
Miller, Alice, 7 months; 524 N. Wilmot-av., Jan. 2.
Nenzil, Marie, 65; 2174 W. 16th-st., Jan. 2.
Newman, Mary A., 78; 3124 Shields-av., Dec. 31.
Oakerburg, Augusta, 83; 2234 N. 42d-av., Dec. 30.
O'Neil, Bernard, 13; 676 W. 39th-st., Jan. 2.
Ostrowski, Joseph, 3 months; 4504 Mansfield-av., Jan. 1.
Patton, Raymond, 25; 301 Clark-st., Dec. 30.
Pelz, Howard, 4 months; 1617 Hoyne-av., Dec. 31.
Petes, Joseph, 5 days; 61 Huron-st., Jan. 1.
Pietsch, August, 46; 4736 Paulina-st., Dec. 31.
Prien, Anna, 72; 4925 Marshfield-av., Jan. 1.
Priest, Robert F., 62; 366 Wisconsin-st., Dec. 31.
Rafcliff, Mary, 2 days; 1938 N. Fairfield-av., Dec.31.
Rechowski, Lillie, 1; 542 Laflin-st., Dec. 30.
Reynolds, Mary, 42; 4736 Lowe-av., Dec. 31.
Ryan, Kate, 45; 57 Miller-st., Dec. 31.
Sanborn, Floyd, 12; 347 Ogden-av., Jan. 1.
Scanlan, Margaret, 78; 1478 W. Harrison-st., Dec. 30.
Schaaf, Mamie, 31; 2903 Union-av., Dec. 31.
Schmidt, Harvey, 3; 1589 W. 12th-st., Jan. 1.
Schuth, Edward, 14 days; 414 W. 25th-st., Jan. 1.
Scott, Margaret, 31; 10440 Avenue M, Dec. 30.
Seidner, Henry, 56; 560 Wieland-st., Dec. 31.
Sieker, Ernest H., 2; 2963 N. Ashland-av., Jan. 1.
Silverman, Pearl, 7 months; 398 Morgan-st., Dec.31.
Sittard, Nancy, 52; 414 Fremont-st., Dec. 30.
Slater, Walter, 16; Home for the Aged, Dec. 31.
Stengel, Marcrethe, 73; 242 Morgan-st., Dec. 31.
Svejkosky, Barbara, 23; 3077 Trumbull-av., Dec. 30.
Swanberg, August, 60; 960 N. Kedzie-av., Dec. 30.
Sweeney, Timothy, 42; 926 37th-st., Dec. 30.
Thompson, Fred, 37; 2348 Indiana-av., Dec. 30.
Trager, Anton, 50; 507 Canal-st., Dec. 31.
Ulasak, Charles, 4 months; 732 Loomis-st., Dec. 31.
Weldon, Annie, 31; 2014 Parnell-av., Dec. 30.
Wellman, Maria, 79; 30 Beethoven-pl., Dec. 30.
Werby, Sue, 5 days; 366 W. Erie-st., Dec. 31.
White, Joseph, 5 days; 157 Burling-st., Jan. 2.
Wilson, Philip, 5; Wesley hospital, Dec. 31.
Witte, John C., 73; 619 Tremont-av., Dec. 31.
Winter, John E., 4; 4609 Forty-fourth-av., Dec. 31.
Woods, Lillian, 2 days; 21 Rice-st., Jan. 2.
Zborowski, John, 2 months; 1201 Cornell-st., Dec. 29.
Zelinka, Josefa, 57; 1258 Western-av., Dec. 30.
Zonnelli, Pietro, 1; 1226 Western-av., Dec. 30.

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For Jamaica, West Indies, 12 p. m.

For Austria, Denmark, France, Germany, Great Britain (except Scotland and Liverpool), Italy, Norway, Netherlands, Russia, and Sweden, via S. S. St. Louis, Thursday, Jan. 4, 12 p. m.

For Bermuda, 12 p. m.

For Turks Island and San Domingo, 12 p. m.

For Brazil, 4:45 p. m.

For Barbados, 12 p. m.

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Our January Sales and Your Quick Response

THE vigorous selling of yesterday proves most conclusively the worthy quality of the values—you made a quick and ready response to our announcements about the January sales. And it attests the wisdom of the strict adherence to the inflexible rule that governs here—namely, never to misrepresent in print or otherwise.

Our January sales are in full swing—the savings are of importance. Particularly low prices are offered during the month on the following special lines.

Linens, White Goods

Table cloths, napkins, damasks, towels, towelings, bed quilts and white dress fabrics gathered from the foremost producers and offered as representative of the best both in variety and value.

Sheets, Sheetings

Not a worthy make is missing from this unusually great showing of bleached and unbleached sheetings and pillow cases, muslins, long cloths and cambrics. The January prices show you important savings.

Colored Wash Fabrics

Exclusive imported wash fabrics—in an unequaled variety to choose from. Many of them now have first showing in the new 1906 designs. French printed organdies, twentieth century silk suitings, Scotch ginghams, mercerized poplins, Scotch shirtings, printed "efflure," and many others.

Undermuslins

Our 39th Annual January Sale of night dresses, white petticoats, corset covers, French hand-made underwear, matched sets, chemise, drawers. An especially interesting feature is the great variety of "out-sizes" for large women.

Lingerie Waists

From the leading designers of Paris and America. Lawns, mulls, handkerchief linens, nets and washable silks. The laces used include French and German valenciennes, real hand-made cluny, fillet, point Venise, baby Irish, French, Irish and torchon.

Lingerie Suits

for Women

Includes the newest models in linen and other washable materials. A splendid showing of white serge suits for warm climate wear, linen tailor suits, one-piece linen dresses, linen frocks and separate skirts.

Men's Night Robes, Pajamas, White Shirts

An exceptionally interesting January showing for men. Stiff bosom shirts, pajamas, night robes. All the newest season's patterns have generous showing—all the most popular ideas of the day are represented in the stocks concerned.

Embroideries

The unusual values in sample embroideries, allovers and flouncings, represent important price savings. Swisses, nainsooks, cambrics. A January sale that far exceeds all previous displays and a splendid opportunity to provide for future necessities.

The New Silks

White silk specials, such as Japanese white Habutai, natural Shantung pongee and all white Japanese handmade wash silks, Rajahs and Burlinghams, shirt waist suiting silks, poplin silk suitings, black silks. "Showerproof" printed foulards—impervious to water, and water will not spot them.

Special Corsets

Five of our most popular special models are marked at substantial price reductions—namely, Lotus No. 1, Valois N, Valois A3, C. P. S. & Co. and Valois F. X. All sizes are represented in the various lines—satisfaction in the fit is thus assured. The corset display is well worth seeing.

CHAS. A. STEVENS & BROS.

Women's Outfitters. 109 to 115 State-st., through to Wabash-av.

Pleased Customers

Are responsible for the enormous growth of this business. More than fifty thousand saleschecks were made here yesterday. It's another new high record. These checks frequently contain a number of items, comparatively few of them are for amounts less than one dollar, a large percentage of them are for a number of dollars. This phenomenal growth of our business is due to *pleased customers;* the customers of yesterday, today, tomorrow and every day for the next ten days will not only be pleased, but delighted, for it is our

Great Annual Clearance Sale

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Business Men contemplating office changes necessitating the purchase of new Office Furniture will find it to their interest to inspect our very complete assortment of these goods.

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The coat and suit clearing sale

THE saving possible is extraordinary—in many cases as much as 50 per cent. A saving, too, that is effected on the smartest garments offered to Chicago shoppers, for it ought to be distinctly understood that the heavy reduction is solely and simply for the purpose of clearing out stock with greatest possible speed.

Coats worth $30 at $10

Your unrestricted choice of any woman's mixture coat in the house; loose and tight-fitting styles that formerly sold up to $30; reduced to $10.

22.50 coats at 12.50

Women's tight-fitting coats, made of superior quality cheviot; half lined with good quality satin; formerly sold at 22.50; special reduced price, 12.50.

$25 tailored coats $15

Women's strictly tailored tight-fitting coats, made of kersey and cheviot, neatly trimmed with velvet and fancy braids; $25 value, reduced to $15.

Suits worth $25 at $15

Women's suits, in long and short coat models; made of fine quality broadcloth and cheviot; lined with good quality satin; values up to $25 at $15.

Suits worth $35 at $20

Women's suits in eton and long tight-fitting effects; made of extra fine broadcloth; beautifully tailored; formerly sold up to $35; reduced to $20.

$30 evening coats 17.50

Women's handsome evening coats, made of fine broadcloth, in all desirable shades; exclusive designs; values up to $30; specially reduced to 17.50.

The remarkable silk sale gathers impetus

WITH each day's selling, and the enthusiasm shown is in keeping with the remarkable bargains offered. For years it has been "Mandel's for silks," and this splendid selling movement is adding greatly to our supremacy in the silk world. We opened this sale with fully 800,000 yards of bright, new, beautiful silks, priced as they are seldom priced. Upwards of 200,000 yards of the choicest things yet remain for your choosing.

75¢ moire silks at 35¢

Superior quality moire dress silks, every yard warranted; 75c qual., at 35c.

85¢ Louisine silks 50¢

Imported high grade louisine radiusse silk, always sells at 85c; special, 50c.

Dress silks at 50¢ yd

Black dress silks, 24-inch crepe, 19-in. peau de sole and peau de cygne, 50c.

Oil boiled taffeta 55¢

$1 oil boiled foreign pin check taffeta and louisine silks, 20 and 22 in., at 55c.

59¢ novelty silks 25¢

Novelty shirtwaist silks, every yard perfect, good colors, reg. 59c, at 25c.

Silks over 50¢, first floor, Wabash avenue

Silk remnants at half *and* less

THE remnants are scurrying out, and no wonder. Such values are irresistible. Despite the tremendous selling, your chance to share the bargains is as good as ever. We have added an immense quantity of fresh remnants.

As our patrons know, this annual sale of silk remnants is among the most important of the year. The entire season's accumulations of all the finest silks—an enormous quantity—are now being closed out at amazingly low prices.

75¢ and 50¢ silks, yard, 25¢	2.50 and $2 silks, yard, $1
$1 and 95¢ silks, yard, 35¢	3.50 and $3 silks, yard, 1.50

85¢ silk plaids at 55¢

Silk Scotch plaids, in the regular width, chiffon finish, the 85c kind at 55c.

$1 real pongee at 50¢

Real Shanghai pongee silk, perfect weave; regular $1 grade; special at 50c.

$1 imported silks 65¢

Imported faille Francaise—the finest of foreign dress silks, $1 value, at 65c.

50¢ taffeta silks 28¢

Black dress taffeta, all silk, yarn dyed, also plain white taffeta, 50c value, 28c.

59¢ dress taffetas 25¢

Genuine all-silk plain colored dress taffetas; regular 59c value, 33c and 25c.

Silks at 50¢ and under, the economy basement

Our most successful sale *of* undermuslins

Third floor, State street.

THE fact that our undermuslins are selected by a woman expert who has made a lifelong study of the tastes of dainty women, has contributed much to the wonderful success of this sale. The care with which the details of making are executed pleases every one. The saying that "Mandel undermuslins are always beautiful" is again exemplified in this sale, and today's illustrations are splendid examples of the tempting bargains procurable in this sale.

Special 1.95

Beautiful white lawn negligee dressing sacques, trimmed with border of figured lawn, priced at 1.95.

Special 2.50

Fine dotted Swiss kimono negligees; pretty yoke and V shaped neck; flowing pointed sleeves, at 2.50.

Special 59¢

New lawn dressing sacques; short flowing sleeves; buttonhole edge; fitted back with belt; special, 59c.

Choice *of* these undermuslins at $1

Thousands of beautiful gowns, drawers, skirts, corset covers and chemises, identically as illustrated above. These are made full and long, and every seam is perfectly felled. The trimmings are of dainty laces and embroideries of the newest designs. Without question these are the greatest values ever offered, and are a true criterion as to what you may expect in this sale. Your choice at $1.

$1 $1

Special 2.75

Cambric top petticoats; excellent assortment of styles; flaring lace or embroidered flounces, at 2.75.

Special 3.95

Cambric top petticoats; beautiful deep English eyelet embroidery flounces; various styles; at 3.95.

Special $5

White lawn top petticoats with extra full deep flaring lace flounce; a splendid value at $5.

Special clearance *of* artwares, china, bronzes *and* lamps

A saving of 33⅓ to 50 per cent is offered in this sale.

The January sale *of* household linens continues

NO woman with a single present or future linen requirement should miss this sale. The advantage it offers is being enthusiastically welcomed, and the selling passes all records. One-third off regular prices—and the best selections of the year, too. Surely an inducement to attend the sale and no careful housekeeper can afford to overlook it.

Damask tablecloths 3.25

Double satin damask tablecloths, 2½x3, $6; 2½x2½, $5; 2x3, 4.90; 2x2½, 4.10; 2x2, 3.25. A genuine bargain at the price.

Damask tablecloths $2

Fine Scotch satin damask tablecloths, 2½x2½, 3.25; 2x3, $3; 2x2½, 2.50; 2x2, $2.

Damask tablecloths 1.50

Basement: Half-bleached Irish satin damask tablecloths, 2x3, 2.25; 2x2, 1.50.

Damask napkins 1.75 doz.

Full bleached Irish satin damask table napkins; size 20x20, 2.25 value, at 1.75.

72-inch damask 95¢ yd.

72-inch damask, new and exclusive patterns, regularly 1.25, now 95c a yard.

Table damask 75¢ yard

Basement: 72-inch heavy Scotch bleached table damask, $1 grade, at 75c.

Satin bedspreads at 2.75

Full size hemmed satin bedspreads, new patterns, regularly 3.25, now at 2.75.

Fringed bedspreads 2.50

Fine fringed satin bedspreads, new and desirable patterns, 3.25 value, now 2.50.

Turkish bath towels 15¢

Basement: 20c bleached and half-bleached Turkish bath towels, now 15c.

17-inch toweling at 12½¢

15c all linen dish and roller toweling, very absorbent, 17 inches wide, priced at 12½c.

Toweling 10¢

12½c half-bleached homespun crash toweling, the old-fashioned kind, now 10c.

Turkish bath towels 20¢

Full bleached Turkish bath towels, hemmed ends, reg. 25c; at 20c.

Glass toweling at 10¢

Irish linen glass toweling, assorted size checks, 17 inches wide, price now 10c.

Third floor, Wabash avenue.

Turkish bath towels 29¢

Extra large and heavy bleached Turkish bath towels, formerly 40c, now at 29c.